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TOWN COUNCIL

In Special Session to Consider Improvements For Fire Department.

Chief S. H. Harman Recommends the Purchase of a Team, Two Sprinklers, Wagons, &c.

The Town Council assembled in special session Wednesday evening of last week. The main object of the meeting was to consider the purchase of additional equipment for the fire department, and to receive the report of committes on highways.

President of Council Ikeler called the meeting to order.

Mr. Kashner spoke of the deplorable condition of East Third street and recommended that the street as far as Locust street be accepted by the town.

It was moved and seconded that the committee on highways wait upon the Land Improvement Company and if a deed can be procured and the street be repaired by them the same would be accepted by the town.

The report of the fire and water committee was made by Mr. Webb. He stated that the committee had met Chief of the Department Harman, and that he had asked for the following improvements: Four horses, two for the fire engine and two for an aerial truck, the same also to be purchased and placed in charge of the Rescue Company; two street sprinklers, two heavy wagons, and a driver for each team. The fire houses to be sufficiently improved to accommodate the horses and apparatus.

Mr. Harman calculates that $5500 will cover the expense, and he believes that sufficient revenues could be earned from the use of the horses to pay the interest on the money and also to meet the necessary expenses.

It was moved and seconded that the Solicitor be interviewed in regard to the matter.

Mr. Webb reported that rails are necessary along road beyond Iron street. No action taken.

Street Commissioner Neyhard reported that culvert on lower Market street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, in bad condition.

On motion, duly seconded, the culvert was ordered to be replaced with sewer pipe.

Republican Convention.

The Republican county convention was held in the Court House last Monday afternoon. B. D. Freas of Berwick was elected chairman, and C. E. Kreisher of Catawissa and C. M. Yocum of Roaringcreek, secretaries. C. C. Yetter was appointed reading clerk, and Albert Duy, Jr., page. Twenty-seven districts were represented.

E. B. Guie of Catawissa was nominated for Associate Judge, and H. A. McKillip Esq., was elected delegate to the State convention.

After adopting resolutions endorsing President McKinley, Governor Stone, and Senator Quay, the convention adjourned.

Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Wm. D. Laumaster, General Secretary of the Danville Y. M. C. A. will address the men's meeting at our Association next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. There will be special music and a large attendance of young men is expected. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Laumaster is now conducting special meetings for men in the Y. M. C. A. building every night at 8 o'clock. All young men should hear him. He is also conducting Bible readings each afternoon in the Y. M. C. A parlor at 2:30, for men and women, which are very helpful. All are invited to attend.

U. Ev. Services.

Sunday School at 9:15.

Preaching on "The Promises of God," 10:30.

Junior K. L. C. E. 2:00.

Senior K. L. C. E. 6:30.

Preaching on "The *First Commandment*," 7:30.

Prayer and Teachers' Meeting on Wednesday eve 7:30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all these services. J. W. Bentz.

CHRISTIAN F. KNAPP.

Christian Frederick Knapp, a brief notice of whose death appeared in our last issue, was born in the city of Besigheim, Wurtemburg, Germany, on October 12, 1822. His father was born in the same city, in March, 1784, and was a winedresser. In April, 1851, with his wife and six sons, he came to this country and settled in Philadelphia. Later he moved to Kensington, and after twelve years removed to Montgomery County, where he spent the remainder of his days Christian F. was the third child. He inherited many of the good traits of his father, who was an aid-de-camp on Napoleon's staff during the Russian campaign. Mr. Knapp while a mere lad drove a team on the canal, and rose to the position of captain of a canal boat. Subsequently he learned the trade of a mason, which he followed for many years. He was appointed an assistant revenue collector under Lincoln's administration, after which he engaged in the insurance business, which he followed up to the time of his death.

On October 18, 1825, he was married to Maria E. Vannatta, and to them were born the following children: Caroline M., wife of W. F. Bodine, of Bloomsburg; Sopnia A., wife of Harvey Long, of Madera, California; Mary C., wife of Geo. S. Robbins, of New York. Christian F., Carrie, Harold, John E. and Peter E. are dead.

Mr. Knapp was prominent in secret societies. He joined the Odd Fellows in 1846, and the Masons in 1851, in both of which he held high offices. He was a 33d degree Mason.

Mr. Knapp was a member of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, and for many years he was a member of the vestry, retiring a few years ago at his own request. He was always a liberal supporter of the church, and gave freely of his means toward the many improvements that have been made in the church property during the last twenty-five years.

The funeral was held at the house on Monday morning last, at eleven o'clock, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. D. N. Kirkby.

One hundred and sixty one Masons were in line and more than two hundred were in attendance at the services.

The pall bearers were: Frank W. Marteenis, John A. Buck, Hon. J. U. Kurtz, E. D. Hughes, J. M. Staver and J. R. Townsend.

The honorary pall bearers were: Adam H. Schmehl, Gr. Com., Dr. John Vallerschamp, P. G. Com., Chas. King Francis, Hon. R. R. Little, Dr. E. W. M. Low, Rev. Jno. A. DeMoyer, Jno. W. Farnsworth, D. D. G. M., Vosburg N. Shaffer, Wm. W. Barrett, Dr. Henry N. Dunnell.

The flower bearers were: Dr. A. K. Aldinger, S. H. Harman, W. H. Brooke, J. Townsend, R. D. Young, H. R. Snyder, Jno. W. Lewis, John Fidler, W. J. Hehl, Dr. J. S. John, Hon. A. L. Fritz, J. M. Shew, W. S. Rishton, Dr. J. E. Shuman, F. D. Dentler, C. B. Lutz.

The floral tributes were profuse and very handsome. The cross and crown was from the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania; open Bible, from the Grand Council, R. & S. M., Pa.; triangle, from Caldwell Consistory; square and compass, from Washiugton Lodge 265, F. & A. M.; keystone, from Bloomsburg Chapter R. & A. M.; broken column, from Mt. Moriah Council, R. & S.; maltese cross, Crusade Commandery, No. 12 K. T.; crescent and star, from Irem-Shrine, Williamsport. There were also a number of other beautiful floral pieces from relatives and friends.

The services at the grave were conducted by Washington Lodge 265, F. and A. M. H. A. McKillip Esq., being the Master and Rev. W. M. Tinker of Brooklyn as Chaplain.

The Superior Court has affirmed the judgment of O. B. Mellick against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. This suit arose out of the contract for filling, at the other end of the bridge at East Bloomsburg, Mellick alleging that the railroad company obstructed the work for which he had the contract, thus delaying him and putttng him to extra expense. He obtained a verdict of $1100 in the Columbia County Court, and this is now affirmed.

"Cleanliness is next to godliness," and every citizen ought to bear well in mind at this time these words. Clean up the winter's rubbish about your yards, and if you have no other place to put it, burn it up.

WILLIAM T. CREASY

Elected Chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

HARRISBURG, April 17.

Representative William T. Creasy, of Columbia County, was this afternoon unanimously elected Chairman of the Democratic State Committee to succeed John S. Rilling, of Erie, who declined re-election. A resolution condemning Senator Washburn, of Crawford County, was unanimously adopted, and a resolution condemning in general terms those Democratic members of the Senate and House who have been in active sympathy with the Republican machine, was carried by an overwhelming majority. A resolution calling for a reorganization of the party in Philadelphia was introduced, but adjournment prevented a vote being taken on the subject.

It was but a few minutes past 2 o'clock when Chairman Rilling called the committee to order, and after roll call nominations for chairman were asked. Representative Ikeler, of Columbia county, who is Mr. Creasy's colleague in the House, arose and in making the nominating speech referred to the auspicious conditions under which the committee was assembled and quoted the warning of Tom Cooper, of Delaware, to the Republicans of an impending revolution and predicted that with a campaign of proper energy and intelligence a Democratic candidate for Governor will be chosen at the next election for that office. Mr. Ikeler spoke of the high character of Mr. Creasy for integrity and his ripe and accurate judgment of affairs.

IS EVERLASTINGLY RIGHT.

"The great premier, William Pitt," he said: "referring to his long and distinguished Parliamentary career, said that he encountered but one man of whom he was afraid. He was not an orator, but he was everlastingly right. In William T. Creasy," continued Mr. Ikeler, "we have the man who is everlastingly right, and under his leadership the Democracy can go forward to honor and victory."

At the conclusion of Mr. Ikeler's speech Chairman Rilling asked for other nominations. None were made and, on motion, Mr. Creasy by acclamation was elected as State chairman. Mr. Rilling presented Mr. Creasy, who said, among other things:

"I accept the office with a full knowledge of its burdens and responsibilities, and I pledge myself to represent the Democracy of the entire State. We are confronted by a political machine that is 'ripping' up the government of the cities of the State that it may increase its power. To oppose the usurpation of the majority party nothing is more necessary than a compact and aggressive party, and to attain that we must have organization."

GREETED WITH CHEERS.

Cheers greeted the utterances of the newly-elected chairman and the manifestations of faith in Mr. Creasy's intention to unite the party throughout the Commonwealth showed plainly the belief of those present that there is hope for the party in the near future. Retiring Chairman Rilling was accorded a vote of thanks for "his loyal and unselfish devotion to the best interests of the party during his terms of service as chairman of the state committee."

THE NEW CHAIRMAN.

William Trenton Creasy, of Catawissa, Columbia county, who was yesterday unanimously chosen to succeed John S. Rilling, of Erie, as chairman of the Democratic State committee, is a Pennsylvanian born and bred.

He was born in Columbia county in 1856 and his early life was spent on a farm. He graduated from the State Normal School at Bloomsburg, and added school teaching to his other labors.

It was not until 1893 that he began his political career. In that year he was made Mercantile Appraiser and School Director, and in the following year he was elected to the Legislature being re elected in 1896, 1898 and in 1900. In 1899 he was the Democratic nominee for State Treasurer, but was defeated.

Mr. Creasy has always been a democrat and came into great prominence when, as a member of the ways and means committee, he championed the tax conference bill in aid of real estate men, and voted and worked against the election of Senator Quay. During the present session Mr. Creasy has been much in the public eye through his efforts to defeat the many iniquitous measures of the State Republican machine.

The remains of William Samuels are expected to arrive here some time to-day or to-morrow. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Samuels and died in the Philippines about a year ago.

The A. & T. Biograph Co. did not make a visit to foreign countries for subjects, but they have the pictures just the same. You can see them at the Parish House soon. Patronize your home people.

The May number of *McClure's Magazine* contains an article on "Deep-water Politics," by Miss May McHenry, daughter of Daniel McHenry, deceased, of Stillwater. The piece is well written and mentions several known men of that vicinity.

William Coffman resigned his position at J. W. Moyer's store Saturday night. He left for Allentown yesterday to play base ball. Will possesses the qualities of a good one. His record will be watched with interest by his numerous friends.

T. F. Penman, revenue collector for this district, announces that, owing to a decrease of business as soon as the war revenue taxes are abolished, he will be obliged to reduce the deputy collectors in this district by two. It has not yet been decided who the unlucky ones will be.

Work on the electric railroad is progressing rapidly. The rails are down from the second canal bridge, above town, to a short distance below Almedia, and a large force of hands are grading beyond that point. The roadbed will now be ballasted and the track leveled, and it will then be ready for the cars.

The production of a comedy entitled the "Fire Laddies" will take place in Wilkes-Barre, next month. The parts will be assumed by members of a Society of that city. D. J. Tasker of this town has been requested to direct the rehearsals. The piece was given in Bloomsburg four years ago, by local talent for the benefit of the band.

Jacob B. Yetter of Catawissa died suddenly on Wednesday morning. He was managing the Susquehanna Hotel for Mrs. Hutchins whose husband died not long ago. He was found about half past five in the morning, lying on the office floor in front of a wash stand. He had evidently gone there to wash when he was stricken. He was once the Republican county auditor, and was respected by all who knew him.

There was some excitement in and about C. R. Stecker's grocery store last Thursday evening, about eight o'clock, caused by the falling of a large kerosene lamp. The lamp was suspended from the ceiling. It fell to the floor and the inflammable liquid was instantly ignited. Mr. Stecker picked up the burning vessel and threw it out into the street. The blaze he then extinguished with flour, using nearly a barrel in smothering the flames. The loss sustained was only trifling. The fire companies were out but did not reach the scene.

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Dry Goods.

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Our stock is carefully picked. Smaller quantities and a more frequent buying keeps our stocks just ahead of our competitors.

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when you are well, to rub and scrub, but when the back aches and the head throbs, a woman's work is hourly torment.

No woman can be strong and healthy of body who is the victim of those womanly diseases which are often responsible for feminine sufferings.

Women who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for the cure of diseases of the womanly organs, say that work doesn't tire them any more. "Favorite Prescription" regulates the periods, dries enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

There is no alcohol in "Favorite Prescription," neither opium, cocaine or any other narcotic.

"I had poor health for nine years (ever since the birth of my child)," writes Mrs. Armintie Watkins, of Acme, Kanawha Co., W. Va. "Had female weakness, was very irregular and would suffer untold misery. Our family doctor did not do me any good and I concluded to write to you. When I wrote I had no idea that I would ever get well, but when your letter reached me I began to have hope. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicines as directed and began to improve in strength. I was soon able to do the work for my family of six. I think there never were such medicines in the world. I took eight bottles, three of 'Favorite Prescription' and five of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of 'Pellets.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation.

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It has the short line to and from Richmond, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Raleigh, Southern Pines, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa and Atlanta, and the principal cities between the South and East. It is also the direct route to Athens, Augusta and Macon.

In Atlanta, direct connections are made in the Union Station for Chattannooga, Nashville and Memphis, also for New Orleans and all points in Texas, California and Mexico.

In addition, it is the only line operating through trains and Pullman sleeping cars between Atlanta and Norfolk, where connections are made with the old Dominion Steamship Company, from New York, the M. & M. T. Company, from Boston and Providence, the Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Company, from Washington, the Baltimore Steam Packet Company, from Baltimore, and the N. Y. P. & N. Railway, from New York and Philadelphia.

Through Pullman cars also operated on quick schedules between Jacksonville and New Orleans, in addition to through trains with Buffet Chair Cars between Savannah and Montgomery.

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CANAL BILL IS DEAD.

Republican Leaders Abandon $26,000,000 Project.

MEASURE TOO STRONGLY OPPOSED.

Democrats and Anticanal Republicans Make Passage Impossible. Fate of Stranahan Mortgage Tax Bill Is In Doubt.

ALBANY, April 17.—The $26,000,000 canal improvement bill was officially abandoned last night when after a two hours' conference with Governor Odell the canal adherents and Republican leaders conceded that the measure would be swamped if it came up for votes. It will therefore be allowed to die in the committee of the assembly.

At the conference were Governor Odell, Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, State Chairman Dunn, Senators Ellsworth, Higgins, Raines, Krum, Marshall, Elsberg, Davis, Green, Hill, Speaker Nixon, Leader Allds and Mr. Kelsey. Every phase of the situation was discussed, but the situation simmered down to the fact that John E. Carroll of Tammany had notified the Democrats not to vote for the bill, and this, with the anticanal Republicans, made passage impossible. Governor Odell said it was not a question that could be properly made a party measure, and he could not see the way clear to recommend it. Assemblyman M. E. Lewis said at the conclusion of the conference that he would push his bill for a $5,000,000 improvement for good roads, but from reliable sources it is learned that this bill, too, will be laid aside and not passed.

Despite the fact that the senate Republican caucus Monday night decided to pass the Stranahan mortgage tax bill in its present shape, there is every indication now that unless it is considerably amended it will meet with the same opposition as the canal bill met with in the assembly.

Even Governor Odell, who has favored a mortgage tax, is wavering in his allegiance to the bill unless some of the exemptions are changed greatly, while at least 20 Republican assemblymen declare they will not go in caucus on the measure.

Minister Loomis Arrives.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Hon. F. B. Loomis, United States minister to Venezuela, is a passenger on the Red D line steamer Caracas, which arrived in quarantine last night from San Juan. When seen on board that vessel Mr. Loomis refused to say anything regarding Venezuelan matters except that President Castro seemed to be firmly seated when he left Venezuela. When asked if he intended to return to Venezuela, he said that he did not know, as he had not given the matter a thought. Mr. Loomis, however, in reply to questions said that it was untrue that he had expressed himself regarding General Castro's attitude toward Americans, nor had he said anything about General Andrade. Mr. Loomis will remain in New York city for a few days and will then go to Washington.

Good Roads Demonstration.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The National Good Roads association commenced yesterday its first practical demonstration of road construction on its southern trip at the town of Flossmoor, 30 miles south of Chicago, on the Illinois Central railroad. Ground was broken for the building of a quarter of a mile of stone road under the supervision of Mr. Charles T. Harrison, road expert of the United States department of agriculture, and six teams, working all day, nearly completed the necessary grading. The stretch of road will be completed by Saturday of this week, when the "good roads special," consisting of seven flat cars bearing scrapers, sprinklers, a rock crusher and rollers and a commissary and officers' car, will start for New Orleans, where the next demonstration will be made.

A Month's Export Trade.

WASHINGTON, April 12. — The monthly statement of the exports of domestic products issued by the bureau of statistics shows that during March the exports were as follows, the comparisons being made with March, 1900: Breadstuffs $21,158,140, increase $4,500,000; cattle and hogs $2,978,616, increase $725,000; provisions $16,658,287, increase $3,160,000; cotton $26,817,333, decrease $7,000,000; mineral oils, $5,340,470, decrease $140,000; total $72,952,486, net increase $230,000; total for nine months $671,712,804, increase $80,983,000.

Deep Snow In Adirondacks.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., April 17.—The trout fishing season in the Adirondacks opened Monday, but as all the lakes, ponds and streams are locked in ice practically no fishing has been done. The prospects are that the ice will not go out for two or three days yet. There is good sleighing yet in the vicinity of Redford, Clinton county, this being the one hundred and sixtieth day of continuous sleighing in that vicinity. In the village of Dannemora there are snowdrifts six feet high in places where the sun does not strike all day.

Big Money For Poultry.

BRISTOL, Conn., April 13.—Fancy prices were paid for poultry here by a representative of Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston millionaire and sportsman. He bought 17 Partridge Cochins from George Mitchell for $50 to $75 each, ten Light Brahmas from Albert Sessions for $800 and a pen of Buff Cochins from Edwin Hills of Plainville at a correspondingly high figure.

Judge Earl Appointed Referee.

ALBANY, April 17.—Supreme Court Justice N. Cady Herrick yesterday issued an order appointing Judge Robert Earl of Herkimer, former chief judge of the court of appeals, referee to take testimony in the various litigations growing out of the enforcement of the franchise tax law by the state board of tax commissioners.

Transport Ohio Sails.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—The transport Ohio has sailed for Manila via Honolulu, with a battalion of the Thirtieth infantry, numbering 600 men, 80 casuals and recruits, 19 signal corps men and a detachment of the hospital corps.

Seventy Chinamen Drowned.

HONGKONG, April 13.—The Chinese vessels Hungfui and Sunchow collided Thursday night and both sank. Seventy Chinamen were drowned. Thirteen were saved.

THE INDEMNITY QUESTION.

It Is Thought Claims Against China Will Be at Least £50,000,000.

LONDON, April 17.—The Peking correspondent of The Daily Mail says he thinks the aggregate of the indemnities demanded by the powers will not be reduced below £50,000,000 and adds that "it cannot be too strongly pointed out how serious a danger would result from too excessive a reduction of claims. If the powers fail to recoup their actual outlay," he says, "they are likely to seek compensation by separate secret arrangement with Peking, which would infallibly lead to grave complications."

A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram company from Peking, dated April 16 says that General von Gyle, in command of 5,000 Germans and 3,000 French troops, is heading an expedition to attack Liu Kuan Ting, who is within 120 miles of Pao-ting-fu. Liu's position is inside the territory defined by Field Marshal von Waldersee as the sphere of operations for the allies. Liu has 10,000 men and has refused to retire, saying if the allies wished him to retire they had better come out and compel him to do so.

According to a dispatch to The Morning Leader from Tien-tsin Boxers have destroyed 20 miles of railway at Lu-han, near Pao-ting-fu.

What the Powers Ask of China.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Mr. Rockhill, the United States special commissioner to China, has sent to the state department a revised statement of the claims thus far filed by the powers against the Chinese government. The aggregate of the claims is lower than the first report, being under $400,000,000, but the authorities regard this as exorbitant and will endeavor to cut it in half. Mr. Rockhill's information shows that the claims of the powers to date are about as follows: Russia, $90,000,000; Germany, $70,000,000; France, $40,000,000; Japan, $30,000,000; United States, $25,000,000; Great Britain, $24,000,000; Belgium, $5,790,000; Italy, Austria and Spain, $30,000,000. Some of the powers have not itemized their claims, and Mr. Rockhill's figures are only in the nature of rough estimates. It would not be surprising therefore should the claims amount to more than stated above.

LACKAWANNA SWITCHMEN OUT

Because Company Discharged Two of Their Number.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 17.—About 100 switchmen employed in the Lackawanna railroad yard in this city quit work at noon yesterday because two of their number, Michael Herrity and Patrick Tooney, were discharged. Yardmaster B. E. Knowles dismissed the two men and placed two men from Hoboken in their positions. When John Murray refused to instruct the new men, he was discharged. Thomas Timlin of the Switchmen's Brotherhood grievance committee waited on General Superintendent Clarke later in the day and asked for arbitration for Herrity and Toomey's discharge. He was informed that their services were unsatisfactory to the company and that their discharge did not affect the others. Superintendent Clarke states that the men will not be reinstated and that the question of their membership in the brotherhood did not enter into the case at all.

Three hundred switchmen from Scranton and vicinity were in session last night in Carpenters' hall until 11 o'clock discussing the proposition of calling out the switchmen on the whole system from Hoboken to Buffalo. The officers would not give out anything that was done at the meeting, and the members who were approached declared they were sworn to secrecy.

THE BURLINGTON DEAL.

J. J. Hill Announces the Completion of Railway Combine.

ST. PAUL, April 17.—J. J. Hill passed through here during the day. He was accompanied by Edward Tuck and A. T. French, both heavy stockholders in the Great Northern. The party left at once for the Pacific coast. Before his departure, however, Mr. Hill said that he had successfully completed the last link of his chain of negotiations for the purchase of the Burlington and its consolidation with the Great Northern and Northern Pacific in one colossal organization.

He said further that the Erie would not be a part of a transcontinental line, that there will be no transcontinental line and that the Erie would remain free from alliances.

What he wanted of the Burlington, he declared, was not an outlet to Chicago as a link in an eastern system for the Great Northern and Northern Pacific, but chiefly a connection with St. Louis and Kansas City.

General Butterfield Ill.

NEW YORK, April 15.—General Daniel Butterfield, one of the most distinguished surviving officers of the civil war, is lying dangerously ill at his home in this city. He is suffering from a recurrence of the illness which prostrated him in the summer of 1899. General Butterfield has been in Miami, Fla., for about two months, hoping to benefit from the climate. On his return he was prostrated, and his physician, Dr. Frederick A. Castle, found him attacked by paralytic symptoms.

Planning a Mammoth Stock Farm.

BISBEE, A. T., April 15.—William Greene, a millionaire mine owner, has purchased of the Perrin Land and Cattle company the San Ignacio de Baboco mari land grant of 35,000 acres, situated in the southwestern part of Cochise county and eastern part of Santa Cruz county. Mr. Greene is negotiating for more land in the same vicinity with a view of establishing one of the largest stock farms in the country.

Tewksbury to Pay All.

NEW YORK, April 13.—B. Gerson Oppenheim of 265 Broadway, attorney for Lewis G. Tewksbury, who fled to Mexico last July, leaving debts amounting to $600,000, announced yesterday that he would advertise today for a meeting of his client's creditors to inform them that they would be paid in full by Tewksbury.

Death Penalty For Opium Smoking.

LONDON, April 15.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail the Korean government has promulgated a law enforcing the penalty of death for opium smoking.

Steyn Broken In Health.

BLOEMFONTEIN, April 15.—It is reported that the health of former President Steyn has broken down. It is also said that he has advised all Boers or commando to surrender immediately.

COMMISSARY FRAUDS

Trial of Sergeant Meston at Manila Finished.

FORMER COMMISSARY READ ARRESTED

Tales of Riotous Living and Lavish Expenditures Brought to Light by Recent Investigations — New Treasurer Assumes Office.

MANILA, April 16.—The trial of Commissary Sergeant John Meston, charged with complicity in the commissary frauds, is finished. No verdict was announced, and Meston's conviction is uncertain. Other trials of those implicated will follow.

Captain James C. Read, formerly depot commissary at Manila, has been arrested.

It is alleged that entries upon the books of Evans & Co., government contractors, indicate that the commissary officers received the following sums: Major George B. Davis, upward of $1,000; Captain James C. Read, $1,000; Captain Frank H. Lawton, $750; Mr. B. Tremaine, Colonel Woodruff's chief clerk, $700.

It also appears that Evans & Co. furnished the handsome residence of Colonel Woodruff. Harold M. Pitt, manager of Evans & Co., who is now under arrest, was notoriously lavish in entertaining commissary and other officers, while the depot commissary, a frequenter of the "Tenderloin district," occasionally spent days at Pitt's house in questionable society. Pitt's house is a bacchanalian rendezvous, and prominent officers frequently visited it, drinking champagne and playing poker. Women of doubtful reputation have often been known to be there. It is alleged that Pitt had the inside track in securing government contracts, and it is also asserted that he was the prime mover in the scheme to re-establish cockpits in Manila, Mrs. Lara being subsidized in securing a cockpit.

It is asserted that the commissary department made unauthorized purchases of quantities of champagne. Pitt sold some. In addition to what the transports brought the commissary imported 200 gallons in February and a like amount in March. The commissary and the commissary sergeant kept private carriages and indulged in other extravagances.

Today Mr. Frank A. Branagan assumes the office of treasurer of the archipelago.

FUNSTON SUCCEEDS GRANT.

First and Second Districts of Northern Luzon Consolidated.

MANILA, April 17.—The First and Second military districts of northern Luzon have been consolidated and placed under command of Brigadier General Funston. Similar action has been taken with regard to the Fourth and Fifth districts of southern Luzon, and General Sumner has been placed in charge. This action has allowed the relief of Generals Grant and Hall respectively and is one of the results of the pacified conditions of these districts. It is expected that further consolidation will be made at an early date.

Sisson's band of outlaws made a night attack on Norzagaray, Bulacan province, and succeeded in burning a part of the town.

A civilian named Fletcher, accused of unlawful conversion of commissary stores, will be tried by court martial today.

The chief of staff of the insurgent general Mascardo has surrendered at the town of Marivales, in Bataan province, Luzon. He said that Mascardo's band of followers, now greatly diminished, are in a bad way. It is impossible for them to elude the Americans, they are unable to obtain food and want to surrender. It is expected that General Mascardo himself will surrender shortly.

It is intimated that an official announcement regarding the disposition of Aguinaldo will soon be made.

Commission Warmly Welcomed.

CAPIZ, Philippine Islands, April 15.—The people of this section of Panay flocked to Capiz yesterday on foot and in carriages to meet the members of the United States Philippine commission and to attend the explanation of the principles upon which provincial government is to be established here today. Thousands were present at the meeting held in the theater. Representatives of the natives asserted that the Federalist movement, combined with the liberality of the laws being enacted by the commission, had caused the recent rapid pacification in the northern part of the island. The province of Capiz has suffered greatly from war, rinderpest and locust, plagues, and popular sentiment is unanimously in favor of peace and civil government.

President Smith Has a Revelation.

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—President Joseph Smith of the reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints has announced to the conference in session at Independence, Mo., that the Lord had revealed his will to him relative to two subjects which have been mooted questions in the church. The two questions are whether women delegates should be allowed to act in legislative capacity in the church and whether priests and teachers who are not delegates should be allowed an ex officio vote in the conference. The body of the church will not be told the substance of the revelations until the quorum of 12 and other official bodies have approved it.

Edward's Coronation.

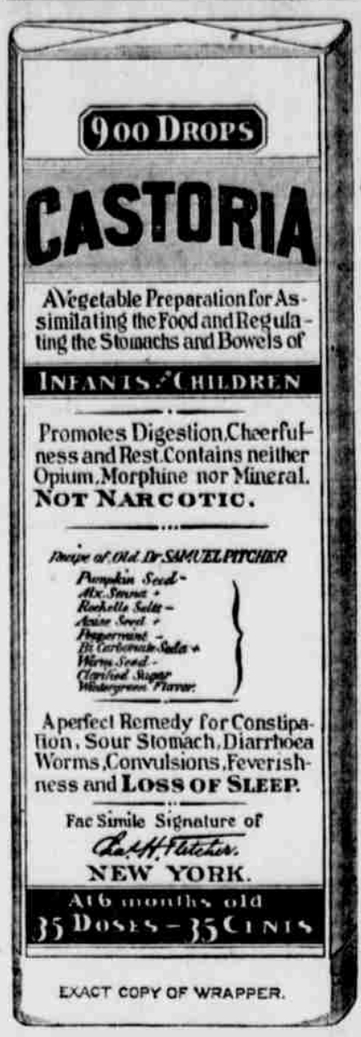
LONDON, April 17.—The coronation of King Edward will take place at the end of June, 1902. Westminster abbey, according to Truth, will be entirely closed to the public for four months prior to the event and all services will be suspended in order to prepare the interior for the ceremony. The details of the ceremonial will be settled next week by a committee of the privy council.

Appointment of Lyman Confirmed.

ALBANY, April 16.—The senate last night received from Governor Odell the appointment of Henry H. Lyman as state excise commissioner to succeed himself. He was immediately confirmed, as were also the new managers of the Rome Custodial asylum and the Rochester Industrial school.

Large Fire Near Boston.

BOSTON, April 15.—The Sturtevant Blower works at Jamaica Plain are completely destroyed by fire. Four alarms were turned in, the firemen making heroic efforts to prevent the flames from spreading to adjoining property, consisting mostly of tenements. Loss, $350,000.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Eggs, per dozen	14
Lard, per pound	11
Ham, per pound	13
Pork (whole), per pound	06
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	90
Oats, do	35
Rye, do	60
Wheat, per bbl	$4 00 to 4 40
Hay, per ton	16 00
Potatoes, per bushel	30
Turnips, do	20
Onions, do	1 40
Sweet potatoes, per peck	05
Tallow, per pound	11
Shoulder, do	58
Side meat, do	09
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Dried cherries, pitted, per pound	12
Raspberries, per pound	12
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	65
Corn meal, cwt	1 50
Bran, cwt	1 10
Chop, cwt	1 15
Middlings, cwt	1 10
Chickens, per pound, new	11
do do old	10
Turkeys, do	2½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	
COAL.	
Number 6, delivered	3 10
do 4 and 5, delivered	4 25
do 6, at yard	2 85
do 4 and 5, at yard	4 00

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Every Patriotic American desires to read what General Grosvenor has to say of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, President McKinley and the other Chief Executives of the Nation. Everybody desires to read what General Grosvenor, the staunch old Republican leader in Congress, will say of that staunch old Democrat, Andrew Jackson, the father of the Democratic party. General Grosvenor has thrown into his sketch of Jackson all the fire and energy of his nature. The biography of Thomas Jefferson is grand. The biography of Lincoln is as beautiful as a sunrise over the hilltops. General Grosvenor has personally known all the Presidents since the time of James Buchanan. The General's book will therefore contain history which has never before been published, written from his own personal observation of these great men. General Grosvenor has served in Congress for nearly twenty years, and he has served his country in war and in Congress for nearly forty years. The book contains twenty-four large Photogravure Etchings as fine as Steel Plates, printed by hand, on heavy plate paper made especially to order. These 24 Photogravure Etchings are in different tints, and are well worth $2.00 each. These Portraits are made from the Paintings endorsed by the family and near relatives of the Presidents. Two years' time and a fortune have been expended in securing these reproductions. The complete book is well worth $50.00, but the price has been placed so low that the most humble American citizen can own it. The biographical sketches are printed in large open type in two colors; the work is so beautiful that when people see it they want it. The advance sale is very large. President McKinley was the first subscriber. There is one edition known as The President Edition de Grand Luxe, initial letters hand painted, portraits hand colored, title page hand illuminated, registered and numbered; subscription price, $250. Orders and applications for territory are coming in rapidly. A high class man or woman of good social standing can soon make a small fortune taking orders in this community. Send references and apply for terms quick as the territory will all be assigned soon. Address

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When a man is known in barrooms as a "good fellow" look out for him.

HOW TO USE A TELEPHONE.

Simple Rules for Talkers Who Have Difficulty in Being Understood.

"Talk louder, "Don't yell so," "Get closer to the instrument," "Don't talk so far away—can't hear a word you say," are some of the messages sent by the people who use the telephone to the person at the other end of the line. The words are often accompanied with evidence of ill will and impatience, at which the telephone operator smiles.

"Every time I hear a remark of that kind," said the manager of a large exchange, "I am confirmed in the belief that, despite its popularity, everybody does not know how to use the telephone."

One of the mistakes made by many people who use the telephone is they do not place the lips close enough to the instrument. Some people make this error because they can't forget the old style instrument. In order to obtain the best results with it it is necessary to keep the lips a few inches from the 'phone," was the cry when the old style instument was in use. and some old subscribers have this "distant habit," as the telephone people call it, and they are usually told by the one at the other end to "talk louder."

"If I were to lay down a rule for speaking on the telephone I should say: Keep the chin well raised and speak with a large amount of air in the chest, articulate slowly and distinctly and use the lips—that is, place the voice in the front of the mouth." —*New York Tribune.*

"Good morning," said the printer, assuming his most patronizing air, as he entered the commercial emporium. "I am in need of a pound of coffee, five pounds of sugar, and a package of corn starch. I thought I would call around and get your prices. Of course, I can get all these things a great deal cheaper in the large cities, but I believe in patronizing home industry as far as possible, and if your prices are anywhere near reasonable I shall give you the order. I already have figures from your competitor across the way, and, of course, you will do a little better than he will." The merchant stared, and the printer continued: "I was half a notion to stop trading here, on account of your politics, but concluded that I wouldn't be silly. Of course, as long as we live in the same town we must be friends, but really I think you are hurting your business by voting the way you do. I have heard a great many people speak about it. You do not care to bid on this contract, eh? Then, of course, you will not feel hard if I get the goods somewhere else? We really must look out for the pennies, you know." And he was gone, and the merchant was so mad that it was fully two hours before he realized that the printer had been quoting from some of his own remarks the week previous, when he talked of ordering $1.80 worth of stationery.—*Dushore Review.*

The Orchard.

Spring is here and with it pruning-time. None of the different kinds of fruit trees needs more attention than the apple. No crop of fine fruit of this valuable sort need be expected if the trees are not properly pruned. Besides what looks more slovenly in a field or yard than a tree full of dead limbs, suckers and matted branches so thick that a bird can fly through, reminding one of a neglected child unwashed and unkempt.

The objects to be attained by pruning are: First, a symmetrical and evenly balanced tree; second, to admit sunlight and a free circulation of air through the top of the tree still keeping sufficient foliage for the life and vigor of the tree; third, to prevent the de-vitalizing of the tree by pollen exhaustion.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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A queer thing about debts is that they do not grow smaller as they are contracted.

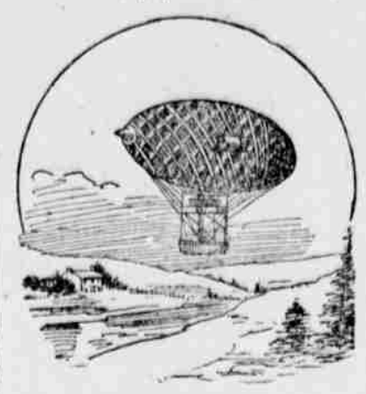
NEW FLYING MACHINE.

Philadelphia Inventor Has Designed One That in His Opinion Is Perfect in Every Detail.

There is in Philadelphia an inventor of a flying machine who claims that the one he has about completed will far excel that made by Count von Zeppelin in Germany—that it will soar through space like a bird, and that it is almost perfect in every detail. The trial trip, it is said, will be made in a short time.

This new candidate for fame is Mr. Charles E. Hite. A successful test of a model of this machine has already been made.

The motive power of the airship is at the sides, by powerful disk fans, in-



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closed in the forward ends of aluminum cylinders, which are fitted with automatically acting rudders at their rear vents.

The car and frame work are built of the best high-pressure steel tubing, capable of receiving stores of compressed hydrogen and carbonic anhydride. An apparatus for heating and refrigerating the hydrogen, which is kept circulating by means of a suction-blower or fan in a chamber connected with the heating coil, is situated on the car.

The gores of the balloon are 100 feet in length, making the egg-shaped gas bag 80 feet by 32 feet in diameter. When completely distended the balloon will be capable of holding 42,411 cubic feet of gas, but only 31,639 cubic feet of gas will be carried therein, or just enough to lift the balloon clear of the earth's surface. The balance of the space in the gas bag will be taken up by an internal balloon on the principle of a fish's air bladder. This is one of the features of the new invention, and is, in fact, of great importance.

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Mr. Hite claims that his airship will be under perfect control and can be taken to any altitude desirable. The air currents, he says, will be of great assistance in running the machine. There are a great many breezes and currents in the air, and Mr. Hite has endeavored to acquaint himself with each one.

This airship is unlike the ordinary balloon in shape, being cylinder form, with conical ends, constituting an oblate spheroid.

AUTHOR AND PATRIOT.

Bjornstjerne Bjornson, Who Demands a Separate Consular Service for His Country.

Bjornstjerne Bjornson, the famous Norwegian novelist, who has just made an urgent plea for the separation of Norway and Sweden in their commercial consular service, is not only a brilliant author, but a red-hot patriot. The motive of most of his literary productions has been a search for a vehicle to give expression to the Norwegian spirit. He has an intense dislike for the new cult of French imitation, and has been a powerful force in

BJORNSTJERNE BJORNSON.
(Famous Norwegian Novelist, Patriot and Politician.)

the movement to create a revival of Scandinavian art and letters. Bjornson has written a few notable tragedies for the stage, almost all of them using Scandinavian subjects for material. In the early '80s, when he had already passed 60, he settled at Lillehammer and began to propagate once more the republican opinions which had formerly caused his imprisonment for treason. He has recently devoted himself to the public discussion of political and educational reform.

Prosperous Negro Town.

The town of Eatonville, Fla., has 1,200 inhabitants, with not a single white among them. It has its full quota of public officials, a bank and other business establishments requisite in a town of its size.

A Useless Reminder.

"Have you ever stopped to think that if you stopped smoking you would save enough money to buy a house and lot in the course of ten years or so."

"Yes," answered Mr. Meekton, "but the only object I'd have in buying another house would be to have a place where I could smoke without spoiling the rugs and lace curtains."—Washington Star.

An Impressionist Effect.

"They gave Briggs the job of hanging the pictures at the club and he hung an impressionist painting upside down."

"Well?"

"Nobody detected the blunder until the artist visited the club."

"What did he say?"

"He said it was all right."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Too Busy.

The man who thinks he knows it all perhaps is wondrous wise,
But never benefits mankind, no matter how he tries.
He leaves his fellow man to stray, an unenlightened elf,
His time's all taken up with admiration of himself.
—Washington Star.

THOSE LAUNDRIES.

Mr. Throop (vexed)—They did not half wash this shirt at the laundry, my dear!

Mrs. Throop (hopelessly)—I know it, Henry! About all they do is to wash out the indelible ink marks.—Brooklyn Life.

It Saddens the Soul.

It saddens the soul when the time comes to take
That five-dollar bill we had vowed not to break.
—Chicago Record.

It Makes a Difference.

"What is the seating capacity of this car?" asked the curious passenger.

"Well, that depends," answered the conductor, guardedly.

"Depends on what?"

"On the people. If you want an estimate I should say that its seating capacity is about 28 men or 16 women."—Chicago Post.

Tit for Tat.

Slopay—I want you to make another suit for me.

Tailor (reluctantly)—Yes?

Slopay—Yes. Now let me see something in the way of a check.

Tailor—All right, but suppose you do the same for me.—Philadelphia Press.

How to Draw a Crowd.

"It's lonesome here in the evening. I wish some of the neighbors would come in."

"I'll just lie down on the couch for a nap; that'll fetch 'em."—Chicago Record.

Busiest Man in the Shop.

"That tall man seems to be the busiest person in the establishment. What does he do?"

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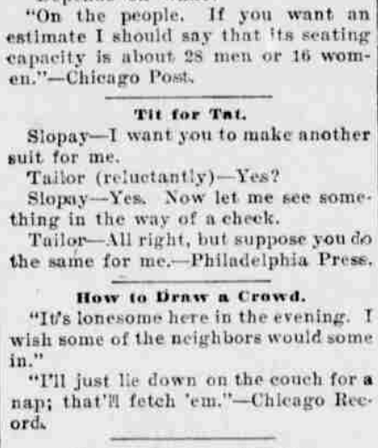

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The Reason.

Little George (to debt collector)—Father isn't in, but he told me to ask you to call to-morrow.

Collector—He will be at home then, will he?

George—No, sir; he'll be out. That's why he told me to tell you to call then.—N. Y. World.

Collecting His Own.

Mrs. Manycooks—There are only six sponge cakes in the pantry, Bridget. I thought you baked a dozen.

Bridget—Well, mum, Officer Branagan called an' Oi had to give him some as our assessment for police protection.—Puck.

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STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	10 35	1.50	10 00	15 50
Cameron	6 47	2 01	.....	6 03
Chulasky	.....	.....	.....	.....
Danville	6 58	2 11	10 19	6 12
Catawissa	7 12	2 24	10 34	6 27
Rupert	7 17	2 29	10 37	6 32
Bloomsburg	7 24	2 34	10 43	6 38
Espy	7 32	2 40	10 48	6 44
Lime Ridge	7 39	2 46	.....	16 50
Willow Grove	17 44	12 57	....	....
Briarcreek	7 49	2 53	.....	16 58
Berwick	7 55	3 01	11 05	7 05
Beach Haven	8 02	3 03	....	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 12	3 09	....	7 21
Shickshinny	8 17	3 20	11 29	7 31
Hunlock's	8 32	3 31	.....	7 41
Nanticoke	8 38	3 38	11 43	7 46
Avondale	8 42	3 42	.....	.....
Plymouth	8 47	3 47	11 51	7 35
Plymouth Junction	8 51	3 52	.....	....
Kingston	8 53	4 00	11 59	8 42
Bennett	9 01	4 03	.....	8 04
Forty Fort	9 04	4 07	....	....
Wyoming	9 09	4 12	12 08	8 12
West Pittston	9 13	4 17	.....	8 16
Susquehanna Ave	9 16	4 20	12 14	8 18
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 16
Duryea	9 23	4 29	.....	8 25
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	.....	8 47
Taylor	9 32	4 40	....	8 55
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	....	....
SCRANTON	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 45
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Berwick	8 23	11 54	3 44	7 33	
Briarcreek	8 28	.....	3 50	....	
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Lime Ridge	8 39	12 15	4 06	7 52	
Espy	8 44	12 22	4 12	7 57	
Bloomsburg	8 49	12 27	4 17	8 01	
Rupert	8 54	12 32	4 22	8 05	
Catawissa	9 00	12 37	4 28	8 10	
Danville	9 09	12 47	4 38	8 20	
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6.50	11.43	5.59	1.45	Light st.	9.05	2.59	5.55	6.50
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6.29	11.2	5.38	1.00	Forks	9.23	3.20	7.14	7.35
6.25	11.19	5.34	12.53	Zaner's	9.27	3.24	7.18	7.45
6.18	11.13	5.27	12.45	Stillwater	9.33	3.30	7.23	8.00
6.08	11.05	5.17	12.35	Benton	9.42	3.40	7.33	8.30
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Pittston " "	7 08	10 00	12 42	4 52
Wilkesbarre lv	A.M. 7 30	A.M. 10 35	P.M. 1 08	P.M. 5 00
Plym'th Ferry "	7 37	10 42	1 16	5 07
Nanticoke "	7 46	10 50	1 26	5 17
Mocanaqua "	8 04	11 07	1 46	5 37
Wapwallopen "	8 13	11 16	1 56	5 47
Nescopeck ar	8 24	11 26	2 07	6 00
Pottsville lv	A.M. 5 50		P.M. 12 01	P.M.
Hazleton "	7 05		1 00	5 50
Tomhicken "	7 22		1 18	6 10
Fern Glen "	7 29		1 27	6 18
Rock Glen "	7 35		1 34	6 25
Nescopeck ar	8 03		2 00	6 50
Nescopeck lv	A.M. 8 24	A.M. 11 26	P.M. 4 07	P.M. 7 00
Creasy "	8 33	11 35	4 16	7 09
Espy Ferry "	8 46	11 46	4 29	7 20
E. Bloomsburg "	8 47	11 50	4 29	7 25
Catawissa ar	8 55	11 57	4 38	7 32
Catawissa lv	8 55	11 57	4 38	7 32
S. Danville "	9 14	12 15	4 53	7 51
Sunbury "	9 35	12 40	5 15	8 15
Sunbury lv	P.M. 9 42	P.M. 1 10	P.M. 5 45	P.M. 8 40
Lewisburg ar	10 13	1 45	6 28	.....
Milton "	10 08	1 39	6 14	9 04
Williamsport "	11 00	2 30	7 10	9 50
Lock Haven "	11 50	3 40	8 07	.....
Renovo "	A.M.	4 40	9 00	.....
Kane "	.....	8 25	.....	.....
Lock Haven lv	P.M. 12 10	P.M. 12 45	.....	.....
Bellefonte "	1 05	1 44	.....	.....
Tyrone "	2 15	2 00	.....	.....
Philipsburg "	4 41	3 26	.....	.....
Clearfield "	5 37	4 09	.....	.....
Pittsburg "	6 55	11 30	.....	.....
Sunbury lv	A.M. 9 50	P.M. 1 55	P.M. 5 25	P.M. 8 37
Harrisburg ar	11 30	3 15	6 55	10 10
Philadelphia ar	P.M. 3 17	P.M. 6 23	P.M. 10 20	A.M. 1 45
Baltimore "	3 11	6 00	9 45	2 30
Washington "	4 10	7 12	10 55	4 05
Sunbury lv	A.M. 10 00	P.M. 2 03	.....	.....
Lewistown Jc ar	P.M. 11 40	3 50	.....	.....
Pittsburg "	6 55	11 30	.....	.....
Harrisburg lv	A.M. 11 45	P.M. 13 45	P.M. 7 20	P.M. 10 25
Pittsburg ar	6 55	11 30	A.M. 1 50	A.M. 5 30

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Pittsburg lv	P.M. 7 10	p. m 8 30	a. m. 3 40	a. m 8 00
Harrisburg ar	A.M. 1 55	A.M. 3 40	1 9 0	P.M. 3 10
Pittsburg lv	.....	a. m.	p. m.	a. m. 8 00
Lewistown Jc "	.....	7 30	3 43	P.M. 3 10
Sunbury ar	.....	9 20	5 03	5 40
Washington lv	p. m. 10 40	A.M.	A.M. 7 50	a m 10 50
Baltimore "	11 41	4 50	8 40	11 45
Philadelphia "	11 20	4 25	8 30	12 22
Harrisburg lv	A.M. 3 35	A.M. 7 55	A.M. 11 40	P.M. 4 00
Sunbury ar	5 05	9 36	1 10	5 40
Pittsburg lv	P.M. 12 45	.....	A.M. 3 00	A.M. 8 00
Clearfield "	4 09	.....	.....	9 28
Philipsburg "	4 56	.....	.....	10 12
Tyrone "	7 15	.....	8 10	12 30
Bellefonte "	8 31	.....	9 32	1 42
Lock Haven ar	9 30	.....	10 30	2 43
Erie lv	P.M. 5 35	.....	.....	.....
Kane "	8 40	.....	5 00	.....
Renovo "	12 40	7 45	10 30	.....
Lock Haven "	1 25	7 35	11 25	3 00
Williamsport "	A.M. 2 10	8 30	P.M. 12 40	4 00
Milton "	2 22	9 19	1 27	4 52
Lewisburg "	.....	9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury ar	3 10	9 46	1 55	5 20
Sunbury lv	A.M. 56 50	A.M. 9 55	P.M. 2 00	P.M. 5 48
S. Danville "	7 13	10 17	2 21	6 09
Catawissa "	7 33	10 35	2 36	6 27
E. Bloomsburg "	7 39	10 43	2 43	6 32
Espy Ferry "	7 43	10 47		6 36
Creasy "	7 53	10 56	2 55	6 46
Nescopeck ar	8 03	11 05	3 05	6 55
Nescopeck lv	A.M. 8 24	A.M. 11 35	P.M. 4 10	P.M. 7 05
Catawissa "	7 42			
Rock Glen "	8 26	12 01	4 36	7 31
Fern Glen "	8 33	12 07	4 42	7 37
Tomhicken "	8 42	12 15	4 51	7 45
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Mocanaqua "	8 28	11 32	3 29	7 21
Nanticoke "	8 48	11 54	3 48	7 42
Plym'th Ferry "	8 57	P.M. 12 02	3 57	7 52
Wilkesbarre "	9 05	12 10	4 05	8 00
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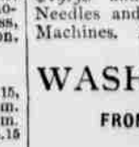

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Cuba's Future.

At a recent banquet, given in Omaha, Nebraska, General Fitz Hugh Lee expressed his views on the future of Cuba in the following language:

"More than ever must there be an exercise of patriotism in its highest sense by the citizens of the United States.

"The Philippines are ours by treaty and their future, so far as the United States is concerned, should be duly determined by congress after and not before the armed resistance to the authority of the United States has ceased. The splendid exploit of Funston throws a brilliant light upon the coming path of peace.

"Porto Rico is ours by conquest, while Cuba has its status fixed by the Teller resolution in the act declaring war against Spain.

"Under that resolution the United States disclaims any intention of exercising sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over the islands of Cuba, except for the pacification thereof and when that is accomplished the government of the islands should be turned over to its own people. That solemn declaration is binding on our government and, in my opinion, will be and should be rigidly adhered to.

"The expenditure of treasure and blood, the dead American soldiers and sailors, the geographical location of the islands, the large interests held by the Americans, Spanish, English, German, French and, indeed, the Cubans themselves demand that the island should not only be pacified but permanently pacified."

ARBOR DAYS.

Governor Stone, in his Arbor Day proclamation, calls attention to the necessity of assisting nature in restoring trees. Our forests at one time almost boundless in extent, have yielded to the woodman's ax, until now some co operation in the way of planting trees, and protecting them is absolutely necessary, if we would not have posterity suffer.

One of the days designated by the Governor, for the performance of this duty has already passed, but there is another coming. The proclamation is as follows:

"The rapid devastation of our forests has long since brought us to a realization of the danger to which such a course must lead. In the absence of prompt action, the growing demands of our industries would have soon stripped the mountains and plains of their wooded areas. Already the depletion of forests has influenced our climate and produced a marked effect upon the flow of the streams and rivers of of the State.

Pennsylvania stands in the front rank of the States that realize the great importance of the forestry movement.

The legislature has endeavored to enlist our citizens in the work of repairing the injury already done and has authorized the setting aside of special days upon which trees and shrubs are to be systematically planted.

Forest reservations have been established and the department of forestry recently created now has full charge of the State reservations, which are to be increased by purchase and cultivation.

It is the duty of every one to aid in this beneficent work which affects not only the State at large, but by protecting, improving and beautifying our highways, parks, school grounds and homes reaches each individual in the Commonwealth.

Natural forces alone are not sufficient to do the work of restoring trees which have been removed by human agency. We must co-operate with nature in order to secure the greatest beauty about our homes and to perpetuate the prosperity of our State.

In order that our citizens, both young and old, may have another opportunity to continue to contribute their share to this successful and beneficent work.

I, William A. Stone, governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with law, do hereby designate and proclaim Friday, the 12th day of April, and Friday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1901, to be observed as Arbor days throughout the Commonwealth.

Two days are set apart for the observance of this custom. Inasmuch as the climate conditions may render one of these days more favorable for the purpose intended than the other, the selection is left with the citizens of the various sections of the Commonwealth.

Why Millionaires Do Not Stop Working.

Man was born to work, and simply became he gets rich is no reason why he should quit working. There is nothing that is so demoralizing, either in the young or the old, as idleness, and the man who lays down his burden when he is still able to carry it does a great injury not alone to himself, but to the world at large. All men who have ever amounted to anything have labored to the last in the field where they found their greatest usefulness. It is setting a very pernicious example to the coming generation to advocate, as is so often done, that a man, after reaching certain age, should stand for the rest of his life with folded hands. It is my hope that I shall be able to work, and work hard, to the very last. All my life I have been at it, early and late, and I have found nothing that has tended so much to my happiness as this activity.

The thing that is most valuable in life is experience. A man who, having experience, puts it to no use, is almost a criminal. The riper the years the riper the wisdom, or so it should be; and so it is with a man who has been content with plain living, hard work and honest effort. How wrong it is, then, not to use this wisdom! It is as if a man, having broad acres and much seed, were to allow the acres to lie waste and the seed to rot. It is his duty to cultivate the land and bring forth crops which will enrich the world and add to his own store. The theory that would relieve a man of responsibility at the age of 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, or even 100, if he is still capable of doing business, is the most harmful theory ever advanced. It interferes with the scheme of God and nature. "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread," was written for the man of 70 as well as for the youth of 20.

It is specially incumbent on a rich man to remain at work. As our business system is constituted, it is rarely possible for a man to become very rich unless he uses the money of others as well as his own. The moment he does this he becomes the trustee for this outside money and it is his most sacred duty to do for the owners of this money the best that is in him The longer he acts as such trustee the more depends on him, on his knowledge, on his experience, on his conservatism, on his interest. How wrong, then, to throw off this trusteeship at the very time which his experience has made it most valuable. It is a distinct calamity when death calls away a man who through his strong mental make-up and his capacity for work has built up a large fortune. The possession of this shows that he is an important factor in the world's progress.

Death none of us can fight off. When it comes we must lie down; but to anticipate death by voluntarily retiring from active pursuits is as wrong as it would be to hobble around on one leg when God has given us two. Of course, to the man who has been active all his life there is also a selfish gratification in continuing work. To him who is properly constituted, work is as essential as meat and drink and more important and extensive is the work, the more gratification there is in doing it. I can understand that the man who has dug trenches all his life would hail with joy the arrival of the time when his savings would permit him to lay by the shovel and pick. He has no sense of responsibility to urge him to continued effort. A young man can probably manipulate the shovel and the pick more effectively than he can.

But when the man who works in a larger field, and who directs the employment of others, it is different. He is responsible for the continued activity of those who are dependent upon him for employment, and he has the stimulus of a wider interest. He must have a wrong kink somewhere in his make-up if he voluntarily relinquishes his post. It is one of the most hopeful signs of our country that our prominent men of affairs generally die at the helm. I cannot at this time recall any one who had been known as an industrial leader who was living in idle retirement when death summoned him.

There are many who look upon the continued efforts of rich men as a mere pursuit of wealth. A greater mistake has never been made. The mere possession of money. Money simply measures achievement. A man's fortune is the monument of his value as a citizen provided he employs his fortune properly. A man owes it to himself and is not what men strike for so hard and so continuously, to the world to make all the money that he can. Unless he does this he has not done his duty to the trust that was confided to him by the Creator.—By Russell Sage, Millionaire, in Philadelphia *Times*.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, April 15th 1901.

Did Aginaldo bargain for his own capture, for a price, and have the American people been made the victims of a colossal official bunco? That is a startling question but circumstances have caused it to be asked in Washington, since the cable news reported Aguinaldo to be buying diamonds and jewelry and it is decidedly pertinent, too. Diamonds cost money, and if Aguinaldo has been buying them, where did he get the money? Any money that was found at his headquarters when he was captured would, if usual methods were followed, have been confiscated as contraband of war and turned over to the Uncle Sam Military authorities, who would have turned it into the United States Treasury. None of the many detailed statements of Aguinaldo's capture have said anything about the capture of any money, yet it is presumably certain that he had some. All these things, and more, have been talked about in connection with Aguinaldo's purchase of diamonds. It may be all straight, but as one high army officer who was in the Philippines until recently, put it: "There seems ample ground for the suspicion that there has been 'something doing' between Aguinaldo and the men who handle the secret service funds of this government in the Philippines." The same officer said: "It would not surprise me at all that the Filipino who was supposed to have betrayed Aguinaldo was acting under that wily chap's orders all the time, and that the capture was all carefully arranged in advance by Aguinaldo."

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If it be possible to get a square deal with the admininistration, in rivalry with the Morgan Steel Trust, the latter may find itself knocked out of several million dollars of government money. The Carbon Steel Company, of Pittsburg, has sent samples of heavy armor plate to the Naval Ordinance proving grounds, below Washington, with the request that it be subjected to the severest tests. This armor plate was made by an entirely new process and it is claimed to be in every way as good, if not superior, to the armor plate which the government is paying the Morgan steel trust $455 a ton for, and it is offered for $150 a ton. If the tests substantiate that claim, and the government buys the new armor it will save something like $790.000 on each of the nine battleships now under contract. But when the pull of the Morgan trust is taken into consideration that "if" is a formidable one, and it is certain that the big trust will not let more than $7,000,000 get away from it if there is any way to prevent. So it will not be surprising if the tests of the new armor plate should be followed by an unfavorable report, although it is said to have stood every test required before samples were submitted to the government.

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Although the legislature that will choose his successor will not be elected until next year, Senator "Bill" Mason is already actively at work to be his own successor. He thinks he put in some good licks last week, when a number of Illinois men were in Washington to attend the unveiling of the equestrian statue of Gen. John A. Logan. Last week it was generally understood that Mr. Charles Dawes was to be the McKinley candidate for Senator, but that was when Senator Mason and President McKinley were on the outs. Now Senator Mason sings President McKinley's praises everywhere, and when asked whether the McKinley influence will be used against his re-election, smiles in a knowing and satisfactory way and says he guesses not. Illinois Democrats who have recently been in Washington have not been disposed to do any blowing, but most of them believe that there is an excellent fighting chance to elect a legislature that will send a Democrat to succeed Mason, and say that they are going to try hard to do it.

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A Washington man who has just returned from the Philippines, where he spent a year, doesn't enthuse over the islands as a place for Americans to go. He said: "I have had all the Philippines that I want. After a twelve month's sojourn over there, I am frank to say that I do not believe it any country for a white man. It is a rare thing to find an American that does not wish to get back to the States as quickly as possible. The spirit of discontent and desire to get away find expression in the army that has been sent to subjugate the islands, and the United States soldier that is satisfied with his lot is an exception. The climate is bad in that whenever a man gets sick there is no bracing or recuperative quality in the air, and recovery to health is exceedingly slow. My belief is that the capture of Aguinaldo will not put an end to our troubles in the Philippines; there will be plenty of revolutionary leaders to keep up a desultory warfare, and the chances are that the fighting will go on for the next ten years."

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Gov. Allen, of Porto Rice, probably under orders from President McKinley, has issued a general denial of the recent stories alleging suffering among the poorest natives of the island because they have no work, and charges that the stories have all been instigated by one native editor, who is disgruntled because he was not given an office. It is a little odd how that one Porto Rican editor should have been able to influence a score or more of reputable American correspondents to send misrepresentations to their papers.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will put two additional trains to its schedule. They will run between Wilkes-Barre and Philadelphia and will cover the distance in less than five hours.

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Disorders incident to the human frame, of which a majority are caused or promoted by impure blood.

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Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

That this medicine radically and effectively purifies the blood is known to every druggist, known to hundreds of thousands of people who themselves or by their friends have experienced its curative powers.

The worst cases of scrofula, the most agonizing sufferings from salt rheum and other virulent blood diseases, are conquered by it, while those cured of boils, pimples, dyspeptic and bilious symptoms and that tired feeling are numbered by millions.

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Will do you good. Begin to take it today.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
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Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.
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TOWNSEND'S "Spring Overcoats"

Spring overcoats, that are cleverly fashioned, smoothly styled, and finely tailored, are those we are showing made by Crouse & Brandegee, Manufacturing Tailors.

Metropolitan garments at half the price are our overcoats for Spring labeled thus:

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Beautiful Thibets and Unfinished Worsteds in blacks, and handsome Oxford and Cambridge mixtures in soft Vicuna fabrics, silk lined to the edge, cut quite knee lengths, with an unusually graceful "hang" are the fine ones which we are showing. Call and try one on.

Our Spring Goods are now in. Stock is complete. Clothing for men, boys and children, at

TOWNSEND'S.

We begin an important sale of just those items which are most in demand at this time. You'll find the value of every item advertised exceptional. We have planned to make this sale memorable. Every line emphasized is bright, fresh and new. As a matter of fact, the whole store fairly teems with newness. This sale marks the official opening of the new season and your presence is invited.

Wash Dress Goods.

The event of the season in this section. Our Wash Dress Goods section is a bower of bloom. If never tempted before, these will tempt you. The sale will begin April 11th and last until April 20th, 1901.

6c Lawns and Dimities will sell at 5c.

12½c Lawns and Dimities will sell at 10c.

15c Lawns and Dimities will sell at 12½c.

The New Tailor Made Suits.

There'll be famous suit selling in this shop twixt this and April 20. Better suit values we have never offered, nor a handsomer collection to choose from.

$12 75, Eaton Suits, trimmed with stitched silk. We will sell them until April 20th at $10 98.

$11 00 Jacket Suits, made nicely in every way. Sale price, $9 98.

$12 00 Jacket Suits, left over from last fall. We will close at $6.00.

Baby Caps.

This is a new thing for us to sell—Baby Caps. Never had them before this year. You will be sure to get the spring goods if you come to our store. Price, 10c to $1 19.

Men's Goods.

Meaning Shirts, Neckwear, Half Hose, Collars, Cuffs and Suspenders. A special nice equipment of these. Men who are critical in matters of dress will appreciate these items at these prices.

Men's Shirts, full and well made, at 50c.

Men's Neckwear, the plain colors, 25 and 50c.

Men's Linen Collars, 6 for 75c.

Special Values in Bed Room Furniture and Sideboards.

Good reading this. Good because it tells you of what you can buy for less here than any other place. Our sale in these goods has been big this spring. We keep the price lower than anywhere else, so they will grow larger and larger each day.

Bed room suits, $18 00 to $50 00.

Sideboards, $12 00 to $35.

Dinner and Toilet Sets.

New, right from the factory, and at prices that will tempt you if you will come to our store and look at them.

Dinner sets, 112 pieces, $9 98, $13 50 and $14 25.

Toilet Sets, 10 pieces, $2 50, $2 98 and $7.00.

We will have a car of Rural Potatoes next week. We take orders at our Grocery Store for potatoes delivered right from the car, when it arrives, at 55c. per bushel. We guarantee good potatoes, or you don't need to keep them.

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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1901

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. a second class matter, March 1, 1888.

Orders for "Picturesque Bloomsburg," to be filled by mail, must include 10 cents additional for postage.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Leases and notices to quit, for sale at this office. tf.

Games from 5 cents to $1.00 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The many friends of Louis Bernhard will be grieved to hear that he is seriously ill at Scranton.

The Paul E. Wirt fountain pen either plain or gold mounted at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

New goods in the late styles of Spring millinery now open at E. Barkley's, 129 W. Main Street.

M. J. Kelley is conducting a broker's office in Danville. He was in the same business here last fall and winter.

We have a very nice line of small photo frames, with prices reasonable and many kinds at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

New and beautiful patterns in table dinner ware will arrive this week. Don't miss seeing them at L. E. Whary's.

Farmers are now busy with their spring work preparing for a summer of hard toil, and, we hope, of prosperous cheering results.

WANTED:—A young man, about 19 years old, to learn the jewelry business. Apply to J. E. ROYS.
Satisfactory references required.

House cleaning time is upon us and you no doubt will want to paper a bed room, or some other room. Do not forget to see Mercer's line before you buy.

Miss Laura Warner is recovering from her recent attack of typhoid fever and is able to sit up. For several days, at the turning point of the disease, her life was despaired of.

SPECIAL. — From this date to April fifteenth special prices will be given on Summit Ranges. They are quick bakers and fuel savers. We sell them as our leader, and give a guarantee with every sale.
L. E. WHARY.

Telephone.

FISHING TACKLE.

Have just received a large assortment of fine fishing tackle. Everything of the

Latest Pattern
—AND—
Highest Grade.

Rods from $1.25 to $5.50.
Reels from 75c. to $2.00.
Lines from 10c. to $2.00
Flies, a Full Assortment.
Hooks, all Styles.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

W. S. Rishton, Ph. G.
Ent Building. Pharmacist

Lamps from 25 cents to $13.00 at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Will Guernsey, the piano tuner, is in town this week. Leave orders at this office.

We have a nice line of wall paper and prices are low. Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

P. M. Reilly is located in Lebanon, Pa., where he is working in the plumbing business.

Window curtains, both plain and lace, with fringe to match, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

A good opportunity for a bright young man to learn the drug business. Inquire at Moyer Bros. 2t

The weather does not seem to be settled yet. Yesterday was a beautiful bright spring day, but to-day it is cool enough to snow.

The foundry and warehouse of Jenkins & Lingle, at Bellefonte, was destroyed by fire on Monday. Mr. Lingle is a son-in-law of J. J. Brower.

An application has been filed in the Prothonotary's office for the transfer of the license of C. B. Ent to James M. Kline, for Hotel Ent in Bloomsburg.

We still have a few bags of seed potatoes. Sir Walter Raleigh and Rural New York No. 2. Come early before they are all.
4-18 2t MIFFLIN & TERWILLIGER.

John Brooks has been secured by the A. & T. Biograph Co. as pianist. He left with the company for Lebanon Friday. They exhibit in Frederick, Maryland, this evening.

Gold pens and pencils for either lady or gent at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

In J. R Townsend's show window is a silk hat of the style worn 53 years ago. One of the latest pattern alongside of it, shows the evolution of the silk hat during the last half century.

The largest line of juvenile books and prices right at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Large numbers of young men are daily exercising themselves at Athletic Park. This is a beautiful piece of land, and is sufficiently large to admit of four base ball games at the same time. The boys don't quarrel for possession.

The viewers appointed by the court in the suit of G. W. Keiter against the Bloomsburg Water Co. have awarded the plaintiff $27,000 damages for destroying the water power for his two mills. An appeal will no doubt be taken by the Water Co.

Constable Conrad, of Northumberland, is in an indignant mood, because he can't get the $100 offered for murderer Gulick's capture. The Commissioners contend that if any one is entitled to the reward it is young Surgeon, who first saw Gulick.

WANTED:—A horse, and farm wagon, cows and sheats, grain and potatoes, farm implements, railroad ties and fence posts, lumber and shingles in exchange for first class land lime; at the Robison Quarries in Centre township, just east of the Scott township line.
J. B. ROBISON,
Bloomsburg, Pa., or Espy, PA.

Mr. Joseph L Townsend, son of John R. Townsend, was married on Tuesday morning to Miss Gertrude M. Sheep, daughter of Mrs. Pierce Hagenbuch, at the bride's home on East street, Rev. M. E. McLinn performing the ceremony. About sixty invited guests were present. On their return from a wedding journey they will go to housekeeping at once in a house on the Light Street road. They are popular young people, and their many friends wish them prosperity and happiness.

Early cabbage plants at Jos. Garrison's 5th street. 2t

Wall paper from 4c to 40c a roll at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

R. D. Seibert, of Millville, has been granted a patent on a device for securing vehicle wheels to axle arms, through C. A. Snow & Co., of Washington, D. C.

If you want drugs or patent medicines of any kind go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The entertainment at the Parish House on Tuesday evening was well attended, and the audience showed its appreciation by frequent applause. All who participated in the program did themselves credit, and each number gave evidence of the careful training by the ladies having the entertainment in charge. The receipts were over fifty dollars.

Bibles large and small and the stock open for comparison at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The Keystone commission to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo has selected Philip H. Johnson, of Philadelphia, consulting engineer of the late Allen B. Rorke, to draw plans for the Pennsylvania building, which will be erected on the exposition grounds facing a lagoon near the federal government, which is the site selected by the commission. Superintendent of public buildings and grounds Eyre, Speaker Marshall, Senator Hardenberg and State Treasurer Barnett will supervise the plans and the erection of the building.

You'll never see beef as low again as it was, says an exchange. They can't afford again to raise it so low out west. The cattle ranges are more restricted, and it costs more to raise beef out there than it did. The things for the farmers about here to do is to clear up their old pastures that have gone to brush and go to fattening cattle. It will take a few years to get the best results, because the old pastures have run out. The higher price of hides helps the farmers, too. Now they get eight cents a pound instead of three and a half cents a few years ago.

Many villages are of sufficient size to support a brass band. Young men cannot give themselves more pleasure or better entertainment to their friends about them than by organizing a band. Horns are cheap and good music is almost given away. In every hamlet there is some one who, with the assistance of the elementary works published for every instrument, can act for some time at least as teacher at but little expense. A dozen boys, more or less, who are likely to remain at home, and who are willing to practice, will do the trick. Start your bands.—*Honesdale Herald.*

OVERWORK

You know all about it. The rush, the worry, the exhaustion. You go about with a great weight resting upon you. You can't throw off this feeling. You are a slave to your work. Sleep fails, and you are on the verge of nervous exhaustion.
What is to be done? Take

Ayer's SarsaParilla

For fifty years it has been lifting up the discouraged, giving rest to the overworked, and bringing refreshing sleep to the depressed.
No other Sarsaparilla approaches it. In age and in cures, "Ayer's" is "the leader of them all." It was old before other sarsaparillas were born.
$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Ayer's Pills aid the action of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. They cure biliousness. 25 cts. a box.

"I have used Ayer's medicines for more than 40 years and have said from the very start that you made the best medicines in the world. I am sure your Sarsaparilla saved my life when I first took it 40 years ago. I am now past 70 and am never without your medicines."
FRANK THOMAS, P. M.,
Jan. 24, 1899. Enon, Kansas.

Write the Doctor.
If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

PURELY PERSONAL

B. F. Zarr, Esq., is visiting his sister in Philadelphia

Geo. B. Hummer of Jamison City, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. C. Neal, of Harrisburg, is visiting her relatives here.

Prothonotary W. H. Henrie went to Philadelphia on Monday.

Deputy Sheriff Bruce Black went to Mt Carmel Saturday on business.

George Appleman of Rohrsburg, stopped in town a few hours Saturday.

Harry Keller of Jamison City, was in town Saturday and Sunday with friends.

DeForest J. Hummer returned home yesterday from a visit to Philadelphia.

T. J. Vanderslice and William Chrisman, Esqs., spent a few days in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. and Mrs Joe Heim, of Danville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Heim's parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell and son, Edward, spent several days in Philadelphia during the past week.

Mrs. D. R. Coffman returned on Thursday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Trathaway at Wilkes-Barre.

Rev. W. H. Butts, of Williamsport, came over from that city on Monday to attend the funeral of C. F. Knapp.

Rupert D. Leader, departed Saturday for Pittsburg in search of new goods for his father's mammoth store.

Grant Herring, G. M. Tustin, W. H. Rhawn and C. A. Small, Esqs., attended the Supreme Court in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Hattie Russel and Miss Lizzie Foulke, two of Danville's popular young ladies, spent Friday and Saturday in town.

O. W. Cherrington, of Bloomsburg, administrator of Lawson Hughes, decd., was in town several days the past week looking after the real estate of the decedent.—"Hughesville Mail."

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.
Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price, 25c.

Only the acrobat likes a backward spring.

It is said that a band master is not always a social leader.

Window curtains 12½, 25, 30, 45 and 50 cents each at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Howe's Moving Pictures attracted a crowded house last evening and true to the advertising the features were every one new. There was life action in most of the scenes and the almost continuous applause demonstrated that the program was popular. The exhibition was by far the best that Mr. Howe has ever given here, even though this was his sixth appearance.

The above is a clipping from the *Corning Daily*, N. Y.

Will be given in the M. E. Church April 22, Monday evening. Tickets on sale at Bidleman's Book Store, and by the members.

Bargains.

A good five octave melodeon, Piano style, Rosewood case, in excellent condition, for $20. A liberal discount for cash at Thomas' music store. At the same place a good five-octave organ, walnut case, in good condition, for $18.00, worth double the amount. Thomas' music store, Main St. Bloomsburg, Pa. 3-28-tf

Clean Up.

All property owners and tenants residing in Bloomsburg are requested to clean up and dispose of all garbage and rubbish that has accumulated about their premises during the winter. This is only a reasonable request and will be cheerfully complied with by every person who has regard for his own health or the healthfulness of the community.
THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 1901,

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain piece and parcel of land, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Being on the west side of West street, forty (40 feet from corner of Catharine Wilson lot; thence parallel to Pine alley sixty-six (66) feet to lot of John Pursel; thence along said lot forty (40) feet to Wilson lot aforesaid; thence along said Wilson lot sixty-six (66) feet to West street; thence along the same forty (40) feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a large two and one-half story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE
and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Cosmopolitan Building and Loan Association vs. Thomas Gorrey and Emma A. Gorrey, and to be sold as the property of Thomas Gorrey and Emma A. Gorrey.

DANIEL KNORR,
HARMAN, Atty. Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN SNELL, LATE OF CENTRALIA BOROUGH, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Snell, late of the Borough of Centralia, Columbia County, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Rev. H. M. Wingert, a resident of Ashland, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to
REV. H. M. WINGERT,
4-18-6t* ADMINISTRATOR,
Ashland, Schuylkill Co., Pa.

CLARKS'.

ATTRACTIVE LINES

Of ladies' Tailor Made Suits, Dress Goods, Muslinwear, Lace Curtains, Hosiery, Trimmed Hats, Flowers, Dress Silks, Ribbons, Millinery, Skirts, Ribbed Underwear, French Flannels, Waist Materials, Belts, &c.

TAILORED SUITS.
We are showing full lines of these in the newest styles, at exceedingly low prices for good qualities. See our suits at $16 and $9.85.

DRESS GOODS.
This Department offers you all the latest of the season in the leading materials of black and colored goods.
54 in Mohair, 75c yd.
52 in Cheviots, 75c yd.
54 in Cheviots, $1.25 yd.
38 in Albatros, 50c yd.

MILLINERY.
The largest line of ladies' and children's trimmed hats we have ever shown. All the latest styles, trimmed by expert milliners, good materials and low prices. Hats at $1.98, $2 24, $2.78, $2 98 and up. You can't afford to miss these f you desire to save money.

FLOWERS.
A fortunate purchase of these allows us to offer them to you at about ordinary wholesale prices. Roses, foliage, &c., in abundance. See them.

SKIRTS.
Have you seen our $1 16 mercerized skirt?

LACE CURTAINS AND MATERIALS.
Here you will find exceedingly good values in the newest patterns. Compare them with any you know of for quality, style and prices. If you have a curtain need, you cannot afford to miss them.

LADIES' MUSLINWEAR.
A big line. Cut full, well made, good materials, low prices. See them, compare them.
Gowns, from 47c upwards.
Skirts, from 47c upwards.
Corset Covers, from 25c upwards.
Drawers, from 25c upwards

FOULARD DRESS SILKS.
The stylish dress silk, in the newest patterns of the season. See them.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.
All that's new is here. Persians, insertions, beadings, applique, satin bands and folds, gold and silver braids, laces, allover laces, yokings, buttons, lacing buttons, juby trimmings, &c

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Perfect fit,
Unrivaled In Style,
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The only make of Rubber Shoes and Boots in the world that will stand this test of elasticity and strength. For sale by

F. D. DENTLER.

CLEAR SIGHT.

You want to have clear sight, and you must have your eyes properly cared for.
Even if glasses are not necessary, there are attentions the eyes should have. Let us direct the care of your eyes. A little of our advice now may save you a great deal of inconvenience and pain later. Our examination will reveal what you need.
We have fitted a private optical room, test your eyes free, and guarantee correction.

GEO. W. HESS,
Dr. of Refraction, Graduate Optician and Jeweler,
Bloomsburg, Penna.

NOW THAT THE LENTEN SEASON IS AT A CLOSE, social life will be resumed. You will want to give a thought to Tablewares, China, Glassware, Silverware, etc. Have lately returned from the city, where I have bought an exquisite line of

Hand Engraved Glassware.

20 different patterns of Tumblers, fine Engraved Water Sets, Lemonade Sets, Finger Bowls, Sherbet Cups, Wine Glasses, Cordials and Clarets.
Tumblers, from $1 00 to $2 00 per dozen.
Finger Bowls, 50c. to $1 00.
Wines, Clarets and Cordials, $1 00 to $5 00 per set.
Have also some fine new pieces in Bric a Brac.

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45 WEST MAIN STREET, - - BLOOMSBURG, PA
First-class watch and jewelry repairing.

A HUMAN NEEDLE CASE.

More Than a Hundred Needles Extracted From French Girl's Body.

PARIS, April 17.—A dispatch from St. Germain, near this city, describes the extraordinary case of Julienne Landrieux, a servant girl, from whose body dozens of needles are being extracted. The girl complained of considerable irritation of the skin and last Thursday went to a local druggist, who found a number of needles emerging from various parts of her body. He extracted them with pincers. The girl has returned several times a day since, and up to yesterday morning the druggist had drawn out 120 needles from her arms, hands, feet, breast, the lobe of her ear, her eyelids and the corner of her right eye. The girl experiences no pain until she feels the needle piercing the epidermis. The needles always emerge thick end first and unless immediately extracted disappear again.

Two reputable newspapers, the Matin and the Temps, have investigated the matter and vouch for the authenticity of the story. Mlle. Landrieux says that five years ago, when she was 11 years old, she amused herself, with other children, by swallowing quantities of needles. She swallowed 40 in one day and never felt any inconvenience until recently and has enjoyed the best of health. While relating the foregoing to the reporter of the Temps who saw her at the druggist's, she exclaimed, "I feel one in my eye now." The druggist then upturned her right eyelid and with a magnet drew out four fragments of needles.

HEAVY FINE FOR MRS. NATION.

Judge Tells Her Missouri Is No Place For Short Haired Women.

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was fined $500 by Judge McAuley in police court yesterday.

"I'll give you a stay until 6 o'clock tonight," added his honor. "If you're found about Kansas City after that hour, the fine goes. I advise you to leave the city at once and the state too. Missouri is no place for you. This atmosphere does not agree with short haired women, long haired men or whistling girls. Go back to Kansas."

Mrs. Nation had been occupying a seat of honor on the bench. She was speechless. All the comment she made was, "Sentence, humph!"

Mrs. Nation came to Kansas City with Mrs. Mary E. White of Topeka. They created a disturbance in M. A. Flynn's saloon at 117 East Twelfth street. The two had dropped in at the saloon in the course of an exhorting tour. They took exception to its pictures.

"You strip your mothers and hang them up here to drag young men to hell!" she shouted. Then Bartender Montville bounced her, and Detective Sparks, who happened along, found her holding forth to a crowd in the street. He called the "hoodlum wagon," and Mrs. Nation and her companion were haled to the Central police station.

GEORGE Q. CANNON DEAD.

Apostle of the Mormon Church Dies In California.

SALT LAKE CITY, April 13.—Word was received here yesterday that George Q. Cannon, one of the apostles of the Mormon church, is dead at Monterey, Cal., where he had gone in search of health.

George Q. Cannon was born in Liverpool Jan. 11, 1827. He came to America in 1844 and was ordained an elder of the Mormon church in 1845. In 1846 he joined the main body of the Mormons from Nauvoo, Ills., on the way to Utah and reached here in 1847. In 1849 he went to California on missionary work and in 1850 went to the Hawaiian Islands and remained there for four years. In 1855 he established The Western Standard in San Francisco. In 1880 he was made a member of the quorum of the 12 apostles. He was a delegate in congress from 1872 to 1880 and was one of the councilors to the president of the Mormon church. He was prominently connected with many of the business enterprises of Utah.

Senator Grady Breaks Down.

ALBANY, April 17.—Senator Thomas F. Grady has been removed from this city to a sanitarium at Clifton Springs. He is in a state of physical collapse from extreme nervousness. During the last seven weeks Senator Grady has been absent from the chair of leader of the minority a greater part of the time. He has been under the care of a physician, and on one or two occasions he was reported as being in a critical condition. The senator made his last appearance in the senate last Monday.

Burglars Got a Good Haul.

BUFFALO, April 13.—C. M. Simmonds, a manufacturer of barrels at Medina, N. Y., was robbed of $2,000 in gold. Mr. Simmonds always has distrusted banks, and he kept his money concealed in his home. Thursday night he took his family to the opera house to attend a performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and this left the way clear for the burglars. There is no clew.

Major Taylor Wins at Berlin.

BERLIN, April 12.—In the bicycle races here Major Taylor won the kilometer match, with a prize of 300 marks, defeating the German riders Arend, Huber, Ellegaard, Seidl and others and leading Arend by 20 lengths. In the tandem race, 600 meters, Major Taylor and Arend were the winners.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western firm and more active, buyers showing confidence; Minnesota patents, $2.90@4.25; winter straights, $2.40@2.50; winter extras, $2.40@2.50; winter patents, $3.60@4.

WHEAT—Fairly active and firm on light offerings, a demand from shorts, export rumors and sympathy with corn; May 76 15-16@77⅞c.; July, 76 7-16@76⅝c.

RYE—Dull; state, 56@57c., c. i. f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 68c., f. o. b., float.

CORN—Strong and higher on active covering, wet weather west and export talk; May, 43⅝@44c.; July, 48⅝@49c.

OATS—Slow, but steadier; track, white, state, 32@35c.; track, white, western, 32@35c.

PORK—Steady; mess, $15@16.50; family, 16.50@17.

LARD—Quiet; prime western steam, 7.72½c.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 15@20c.; fresh creamery, 16@21c.

CHEESE—Steady; fancy, large, colored, 10@11¼c.; fancy, large, white, 10¼@11c.; fancy, small, colored, 12@12¼c.; fancy, small, white, 11⅝@12c.

EGGS—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14@14½c.; western, regular packing, 14@14½c.

SUGAR—Raw strong; fair refining, 3 9-16c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 3-32@4⅛c.; refined firm; crushed, 5.85c.; powdered, 5.45c.

TURPENTINE—Barely steady at 35½@36c.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 3¾@6¼c.; Japan, 4¾@4⅝c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 5@5¼c.; country, 4½@5c.

RAGS—Steady; shipping, 75@77½c.; good to choice, 92½@92½c.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

Another blizzard was raging in Colorado and Wyoming.

The battleship Maine is to be launched at Philadelphia May 30.

A site for a royal residence in Ireland is said to have been acquired.

New York capitalists are to build a new theater in San Francisco.

Methodist ministers at the New York east conference declared women are unfit to act in legislative matters.

Prince Louis Napoleon was married to Grand Duchess Helena, daughter of the Russian Grand Duke Vladimir.

Tuesday, April 16.

The first boat of the season passed the strait of Mackinac.

A student at the University of Michigan has the bubonic plague.

The president received a petition from Porto Ricans asking for relief.

A gift of $50,000 to Amherst college endowment fund was announced.

The United States proposed to the powers to fix the total Chinese indemnity at £40,000,000.

The engagement of Adjutant General Corbin to Miss Edyth Patten of Washington was formally announced.

Twelve new cardinals were created among them Archbishop Martinelli, papal delegate in the United States.

The United States supreme court declared unconstitutional the section of the war revenue law taxing export bills of lading.

Monday, April 15.

Japan is to propose the extermination of rats as propagators of disease.

The transport Thomas reached San Francisco with volunteers returning from Manila.

The gold bars stolen from the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse's specie room were found on the steamer.

Thefts of flour from a government warehouse by commissary sergeants and others were testified to at Manila.

The cashier of the Farmers' National bank of Vergennes, Vt., was accused of misappropriating funds estimated at $90,000.

Officials of the Central Railroad of New Jersey came to an agreement with its engine drivers and firemen by which the threatened strike was averted.

Mrs. J. Fletcher Shera, wife of a bankrupt New York stockbroker, has been sued by a firm of dressmakers for $4,706, alleged to be due for gowns she bought during a year and a half.

Saturday, April 13.

Five thousand men were reported killed in battle between rival Arabian chiefs.

The St. Petersburg press suggests an alliance between Russia, France and Italy.

The report is confirmed that the British war office is to buy no more foreign bred beef.

It is reported at East Liverpool, O., that the 170,000 potters of the country may strike.

General J. C. McCook, United States consul for the Klondike, is reported dead from pneumonia.

One person was killed and several wounded in a fight near Lilly, Pa., between a band of gypsies and a posse.

An editor and director of a Havana paper have been sentenced to imprisonment for inciting trouble among dock laborers.

Friday, April 12.

A blizzard is raging in Colorado and Wyoming.

Turkey has raised a loan to pay the Cramps and the Krupps.

The president has appointed consuls to Marseilles, Coburg and Zittau.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland has issued orders to close the gambling houses and dives.

Ten thousand deaths from the plague have occurred in Canton, China, during the past six weeks.

Emperor William has unveiled the equestrian statue erected in Potsdam in honor of Emperor William I.

Thursday, April 11.

Le Siecle, the Paris Dreyfusite paper, failed.

A mob attacked the monastery of Paramos, near Oporto, Portugal.

Insurgent funds to the amount of $40,000 were captured near Manila.

Nearly all the children in Lathrop Memorial home, Albany, are ill with the smallpox.

General William Booth, head of the Salvation Army, celebrated his seventy-second birthday.

The Chinese minister at St. Petersburg was reported fatally injured by being thrown down stairs after insulting the Russian foreign minister.

Hendricks Monument Desecrated.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 12.—Serious damage has been done to the Thomas A. Hendricks monument in the statehouse grounds presumably by metal thieves. One of the granite ornaments weighing 100 pounds and surmounted by a heavy piece of bronze was broken from its base and thrown to the ground, a bronze shield crossed with a piece of bronze representing a laurel leaf was forced from its place high up on the monument and carried away, and the scales which the figure of Justice held in her hand were stolen.

Transfer of Lincoln's Remains.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 12.—The remains of Abraham Lincoln, which have been resting in a temporary vault during the reconstruction of the Lincoln monument, will be removed to the new monument within a few days. The removal will be private, only the trustees of the monument, state officers and representatives of the press being present. It is probable that the casket containing the body of the martyred president will be opened. The exact day fixed for the transfer of the remains will not be made public.

Towne Made President.

DULUTH, April 17.—Charles A. Towne, the Populist nominee for vice president last year, is president of a company just formed, with a capital of $1,000,000, to work what is said to be a vast deposit of corundum, an abrasive mineral similar to emery. The deposits, consisting of two hills, practically all composed of corundum, are located on the north shore of Lake Superior, about 20 miles from here. It is the intention to establish a plant in Duluth.

Twenty-five Miners Killed.

JOHANNESBURG, Transvaal Colony, April 17.—A cage filled with natives fell down a deep shaft of the Geldenhuis mine. Twenty-six of the natives were killed.

The healthy old man wears his gray hairs like a silver crown. What if he be threescore and ten if there is still fire in his eye, firmness in his step, command in his voice and wisdom in his counsel? He commands love and reverence. Yet how few wear the mantle of age with dignity. Dim eyed, querulous of speech, halting in step, childish in mind, they "lag superfluous on the stage," dragging out the lag end of life in a simple existence. The secret of a healthy old age is a healthy middle age. The man who takes care of his stomach, who keeps his body properly nourished, will find that the body does not fail him in old age. The great value of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery lies in the preservation of the working power of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. From this center is distributed the nourishment of the whole body, the salt for the blood, the lime for the bones, phosphates for the brain and nerves. A sound stomach means a sound man. A man who keeps his stomach sound by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" will wear the crown of gray hairs as befits a monarch, with dignity and ease.

The critic feels that he is safe because he seldom does anything worth criticising.

TOO MANY PEOPLE DALLY WITH CATARRH.—It strikes one like a thunderclap, develops with a rapidity that no other disease does. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is the radical, quick, safe and pleasant cure that the disease demands. Use the means, prevent its deep-seating and years of distress. Don't dally with Catarrh. Agnew's gives relief in ten minutes. 50 cents. 49

Sold by C. A. Kleim

The fellow who is always kicking must expect to stub his toe once in awhile.

WHAT SHALL WE HAVE FOR DESSERT?—This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking! add hot water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10c. 4 11d

Whether or not a fellow is crusty depends largely on how he has been bred.

WANTED.—Reliable Man for Manager of Branch Office we wish to open in this vicinity. If your record is O. K. here is an opportunity. Kindly give good reference when writing.

THE A. T. MORRIS WHOLESALE HOUSE, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Illustrated catalogue, 4c., stamps. [1212 21

The wouldbe dramatist's life is usually all work and no play.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS.—Distressing kidney and bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by C. A. Kleim, druggist, 128 W. Main St., Bloomsburg, Pa. 4 26 1y.

Even the child of rich parents may be spanked in the lap of luxury.

AWFUL EXPERIENCE WITH HEART DISEASE.—Mr. L. J. Law, Toronto, Can., writes: "I was so sorely troubled with heart disease that I was unable for 18 months to lie down in bed lest I smother. After taking one dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure, I retired and slept soundly. I used one bottle and the trouble has not returned." Sold by C. A. Kleim. 50

Any one who is familiar with boarding house coffee knows all about the milky way.

A REMEDY FOR THE GRIPPE.—A remedy recommended for patients afflicted with the grippe is KEMP'S BALSAM, which is especially adapted for the throat and lungs. Don't wait for the first symptoms of the disease, get a bottle to-day and keep it for use the moment it is needed. If neglected the grippe has a tendency to bring on pneumonia. KEMP'S BALSAM prevents this by keeping the cough loose and the lungs free from inflammation. All druggists sell KEMP'S BALSAM at 25c and 50c. 4-11d4t

When a fellow drops an unpleasant remark some other fellow is apt to pick it up.

The rabbit may have his faults, but he isn't much of a tail-bearer.

TO MOTHERS IN THIS TOWN—Children who are delicate, feverish and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickley child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy N. Y. 4 11 4t d

Half the battle is lost when you admit your own weakness.

PROVED PRICELESS—Ruby coats and cinnamon flavor. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are household favorites. Impurities leave the system. The nerves are toned. The blood is purified. The complexion is bright and ruddy. Headaches vanish and perfect health follows their use. 40 doses 10 cents. Sold by C. A. Kleim. 51

Tonic for bald heads is a sort of hair-raising proposition.

RAILROAD NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD RATES TO PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION, BUFFALO.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the following special reduced rates to Buffalo, on account of the Pan-American Exposition, which opens on May 1:

Summer excursion tickets, to be sold from April 30 to September 30, inclusive, and good to return until October 31, at rate of $20.00 from Washington, $18.00 from Baltimore, $17.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

Ten-day excursion tickets, to be sold, beginning May 1, and continuing every day thereafter during the Exposition, good going on regular trains and good returning within ten days, including date of sale, at rate of $16.80 from Washington, $15.00 from Baltimore, $13.50 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

Special excursion tickets, to be sold, good going only on Thursday, May 23, and good returning within seven days, including date of sale, at rate of $10.00 from Baltimore and Washington, $9.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now operates two through trains each way daily between Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Buffalo 2t18

The oyster lingers in the lap of spring.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Annual Statement
—OF THE—
Town of Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania,
FOR THE YEAR 1900.

TAX ROLL FOR 1900

Built up	@ 9 mills,	1,822,373	$16401 35
Suburban	@ 6 mills,	105,298	631 42
Farm	@ 4½ mills,	123 918	557 76
Personalty	@ 9 mills,	11,875	106 87
Occupation	@ 9 mills,	219,300	1973 70
Dogs and bitches			194 00
			$ 19845 10

ADD THE FOLLOWING EXONERATIONS:

Artificial Ice Company	$ 5000
Furniture Company	10000
Brass and Copper Company	18000
Bloomsburg Mfg. Co	6000
Steam Heating Company	5000
Electric Light Company	5000
Penn Elevator Company	3000
School Furnishing Company	18000
Bloom Gas Company	2700
Magee Carpet Works	12000
	$2373234
2 per cent. of the above valuation is	$47464 68
Funded debt is	62745 00

hose carts	1800 00
Athletic Park	6000 00
Bal in Treasurer's hands	3560 69
	$ 45875 31
Liabilities in excess of assets	40000 88
	$ 85676 22

LIABILITIES.

Funded debt	$ 62745 00
Judgment, First Nat'l Bank	5000 00
Orders outstanding	16990 24
Coupons outstanding	453 98
Due Bloomsburg Steam & E. L. Co., about	40 00
Due American Electric L. Co.	435 10
Due American Gas Co, about	10 00
Due Wesley Knorr	40 00
Due Isaiah Hagenbuch	12 50
Due W E Fisher	10 00
	$ 85676 22

STATEMENT SHOWING ACCRUED LIABILITIES AND AVAILABLE ASSETS.

LIABILITIES.

Orders outstanding	$ 16990 24
Coupons "	453 98
Judgment 1st National Bank	5000 00
Bloom S & E E L Co about	40 00
American " " "	435 10
" Gas " " "	10 00
Wesley Knorr	40 00
Isaiah Hagenbuch	12 50
W E Fisher	10 00
	$24931 32

BONDS DUE AS FOLLOWS, VIZ:

	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922
Issue of October 10, 18 7	290	310	320	340	350	650																
Issue of October 4, 1888	320	350	360	380	400	420	440	460														
Issue of September 12, 1880	700	770	775	800	850	875	925	200														
Issue of November 17, 1890	230	240	250	260	275	285	300	345														
Issue of January 17, 1892	200																					
Issue of January 26, 1893	200	200																				
Issue of November 2, 1895	300	300	300	400	400	400	400	400	400	500	500	600										
Issue of October 24, 1895	1000	1000	1000	1000	500																	
Issue of August 6, 1896	500	500	500	500	500	500	500															
Issue of July 29, 1897	500	400	600	570	400	400	300	300														
Issue of September 25, 1897	500	500	500	800	500	580	500	500	500	500	500	570	500	500	500	500	500	500	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
Issue of July 30, 1898	500	500	500	600	700	700	700	700	700	700	700	700										
Issue of July 30, 1899	500	600	640	710	760	950	500	500	500													
Issue of July, 1900	780	985	620	800	1000	1000	500	500														
	6580	6635	6365	6840	6635	6680	5065	3875	2100	1700	1700	1100	500	500	500	500	500	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000

$62745 00

J. K. BITTENBEFDER, Collector.

DR.

To balance on duplicate of 1895	$ 676 48	
To balance on duplicate of 1896	2780 57	
		$ 3457 05

J. K. BITTENBENDER, Collector.

CR.

By amt. paid E F Carpenter Treas on dup. 1898	40 00	
By balance on dup of 1895	676 48	
By balance on dup of 1896	2740 57	
		3457 05

L. D. KASE, Collector.

DR.

To balance on dup of 1897	17 78	
To balance on dup of 1898	2971 28	
To balance on dup of 1899	7254 78	
To balance on dup of 1900	8658 16	
		18902 20

L. D. KASE, Collector.

CR.

By amt paid E F Carpenter Treas on dupli 1898	2359 20	
By amt paid E F Carpenter Treas on dupli 1899	4663 86	
By amt paid E F Carpenter Treas on dupli 1900	2057 50	
By balance on dupli 1897	17 78	
" " " " 1898	612 08	
" " " " 1899	2590 92	
" " " " 1900	6660 66	
		18902 20

E. F. CARPENTER, Treasurer.

DR.

To balance	450 24	
To amt from J K Bittenbender, Collector	40 00	
To amt from L D Case, Col	9080 56	
To amt from Brass & Copper Co for wood	16 00	
To amt for taxes for 1900	11187 50	
To amt from Bonds issued and sold	6185 00	
To amt from Farmers' National Bank loan	1000 00	
To amt from First National Bank loan	1000 00	
To amt from W O Holmes	21 00	
To amt from foreign Fire Insurance Co for 1898	183 27	
To amt from foreign Fire Insurance Co for 1899	219 39	
To amt from bond holders for State tax	139 57	
		29522 53

E. F. CARPENTER, Treasurer.

CR.

By amt of orders for '97 paid	1 00	
" " " orders for '98 paid	4 05	
" " " orders for '99 paid	953 48	
" " " orders for 1900 paid	15835 52	
" " " Coupons of Feb '99	75 93	
" " " Coupons of Aug '99	75 93	
" " " Coupons of Feb '00	303 57	
" " " Coupons of Aug '00	1318 66	
" " " Coupons of Feb '01	951 56	
" " " Bond of Aug 1900	6185 00	
" " " Treasurer's Com.	257 04	
To bal. in hands of Treas	3560 69	
		29522 53

STREETS AND HIGHWAYS.

C F Neyhard, Coal of Highways for 1900	$ 403 81
L E Waller cinder for 1899	414 22
Frank Richie, smithing	14 45
Harman & Hassert smithing	22 23
Creasy & Wells, lumber	131 02
Geo. B Martin Agent smithing	12 70
B & S R R Co crossing over Fifth street	14 37
Theo F Conner crossing plates	10 00
Ed Dieffenbach cobblestone and sand	90 50
John P Jones sand	7 98
Cox and Crawford smithing	1 10
A L Hysong coal	5 25
James C Brown Engineer for 1900	89 25
Amos Krumm sand	12 70
M T Ohl stone	9 53
Hamburg Vitrified Brick Co. brick	63 91
P & R RR. Co. freight on brick	83 21
Wm Ferguson cobblestone	5 00
Levi Cox smithing	1 20
E B Dreisbach gravel	11 70
E L Barton smithing	70
W M Lemons lumber	12 86
Stephen Knorr smithing	3 00
Labor and hauling	2380 07
	$ 3751 76

STREET LIGHTS.

American Electric Light Co. for March 1899	$ 435 10
American Electric Light Co. for year 1900	4796 50
American Electric Light Co. wiring fountain	23 98
D P Unger oil, light in Glue Alley	7 50
	$ 5262 88

SEWERS.

McElfresh Clay Working Co-pipe	$ 69 29
P & R RR Co. freight on pipe	35 10
A L Hysong	2 55
	$ 106 94

WATER.

Bloom Water Company for March 1899	$ 101 67
Bloom Water Company, for year 1900	1118 37
American Car and Foundry Company pipe	20 18
	$ 1240 82

FIRE.

W C Trappe salary for 1900 fire alarm	$ 13 21
W C Trappe labor for 1900 fire alarm	2 13
H P Chamberlain extension for poles	10 16
C W Hassert rent Rescue Hose Company	30 00
C W Hassert window and door Rescue Hose Co	1 35
Moyer Bros supplies fire al'm	25 15
Cornelius Callahan Comp ny lanterns	6 75
M T Tracy salary for 1900 fire alarm	8 75
Viaduct Manufacturing Co., fire alarm supplies	65 95
Harman & Hassert coal, Rescue Hose Co	8 05
W E Fisher salary for 1900 fire alarm	85 00
W E Fisher labor for 1900 fire alarm	12 00
A C Desnepard, keys for Fire Companies and boxes	1 85
D E Krum hauling supplies fire alarm	50
C W Savits work on fire engine	4 50
Empire Rubber Manufacturing Co hose	130 00
D L & W RR Co., freight on hose	2 56
Friendship Fire Co., appropriation for 1900	150 00
J G Wells hardware	6 20
Western Electric Co., fire alarm supplies	95 39
W C Pegg rent Good will Fire Co	17 50
J P Jones fixing rubber coats and boots	2 50
Central Penn'a Telephone Co.	

fire alarm supplies	5 56
Rescue Hose Co., appropriation for 1900	75 00
Winona Fire Co., appropriation for 1900	75 00
Good Will Fire Co., appropriation for 1900	75 00
W R Kocher & Co., coal Good Will Fire Co	4 35
Claude Chromis work on fire alarm	6 25
Wm Smith work on fire alarm	2 55
	$ 924 01

POLICEMEN AND CONSTABLES.

Wesley Knorr balance for 1899	40 00
Wesley Knorr balance for 1900	440 00
John Corbitt Police for yr "	25 25
F P rake " " " "	2 50
C M Hess " " " "	1 25
A M Winterst'n " " " "	53 64
Geo Martin " " " "	13 02
Geo Yost " " " "	26 75
Geo Weaver " " " "	1 25
Wm Dietrick " " " "	12 00
D R Coffman " " " "	1 00
Miles Betz " " " "	6 00
Thos Moyer " " " "	4 75
Robt Long " " " "	3 50
Isaiah Ohl " " " "	4 25
Geo Hartman " " " "	5 50
Jno R Townsend suits &c	35 00
Aring Shultz police for yr 1900	7 25
Miles Betz Constab " " "	41 50
Wm Shaw police " " "	21 00
Frank Beers " " " "	4 62
B W Burrows " " " "	8 75
Thos Morris " " " "	3 75
Saml Yost " " " "	1 25
B W Hagenbuch " " " "	3 00
J S Williams " " " "	2 00
Jno Fisher hauling tramps to lockup	1 00
Louis Gross police supplies	3 60
A V Hower one arrest	50
	$ 773 78

PRINTING.

Columbian annual statement &c	$ 32 70
Republican annual statement	25 00
Bloomsburg Daily annual statement &c	31 50
	$ 89 20

TOWN HALL.

Bloom Steam and Electric Light Co steam for 1900	$ 276 35
American Gas Light Company light for 1900	72 44
Bloom Water Co., water for 1900	56 17
J H Matze insurance on Hall	36 00
C W McKelvy insurance on Hall	120 00
M P Lutz & Son insurance on Hall	36 00
Jas H Mercer stationery	27 25
P K Vannatta painting	46 36
J G Wells windows and glass	13 74
J D Armstrong sundries	5 75
V B Moyer repairs to Hall	19 86
A V Hower watching Hall	13 00
A C Desherpard keys for Lockup	95
Paragon Plaster and Supply Co plaster for Hall	3 40
W O Holmes	49
W M Lemon labor on Hall	3 50
	$ 731 26

MISCELLANEOUS.

John Gibbs, burying 3 cats	1 50
Ed Cox, rent for barn	15 00
H A M'Killip, solicitor for 99	105 00
Freeze Quick, sec'y for 1900	240 00
Isaiah Hagenbuch, salary for 1900, 11 months @ $12.50	137 50
Auditors for 1899	27 00
V B Moyer & Co, painting fountain and benches	13 70
Farmers Nat'l Bank, loan for 90 days	1000 00
O B Mellick, envelopes and postage	5 30
E B Tustin, trustee, loan for 90 days	1000 00
J R Schuyler & Co, hardware	10 44
W O Holmes & Son, plumb'g	33 32
S F Peacock & Co, hardware	16 80
Jno Corbett, board'g prisoners	2 25
H F Dietterick, do	1 90
W M Reber, Sec'y B of H	55 00
Ed Giger, board'g Annie Fink	1 15
E J Brown, sprinkling	14 50
F P Fursel, sundries	61
C E Hower, rent for barn	21 00
J G Wells, hardware	7 06
F D Dentler, damages	50 00
B A Gidding do	75 00
Dan'l Knorr, Sh't, board'g prs	13 60
Isaiah Hagenbuch, balance of salary for 1899	12 50
E F Carpenter, Treas, state tax and Int. on bonds and judgm't of 1st Nat'l Bank	1138 03
	$ 3998 06

SUMMARY.

Highways	$ 3751 76	
Sewers	106 94	
Water	1240 82	
Fire Department	924 01	
Street light	5262 88	
Police and constables	773 78	
Printing	89 20	
Town Hall	731 26	
Miscellaneous	3998 06	
	$ 16878 71	
Deduct ord's of 1900 outstandg	1043 19	
		$ 15835 52
Other payments.		
Orders of 1897	$ 1 00	
Orders of 1898	4 05	
Orders of 1899	953 48	
Orders of 1900	15835 52	
Coupons of February, 1899	75 93	
Coupons of August, 1899	75 93	
Coupons of February, 1900	303 57	
Coupons of August, 1900	1318 66	
Coupons of February, 1901	951 56	
Bonds paid August 1st, 1900	6185 00	
Treasurer's commission	257 04	
Balance in Treasurer's hands	3560 69	
		$ 29522 53
Equalizing am't of receipts		$ 45358 05

RECAPITULATION.

Highways	$ 3751 76
Sewers	106 94
Water	1240 82
Fire Department	924 01
Street light	5262 88
Police and constables	773 78
Printing	89 20
Town Hall	731 26
Miscellaneous	3998 06
Amount of orders paid	16794 05
Amount of coupons paid	2725 75
Amount of bonds paid	6185 00
Treasurer's commission	257 04
Bal in Treasurer's hands	3560 69
	$ 46401 24
Deduct ord's of 1900 outstandg	1043 19
	$ 45358 05

ASSETS.

Bal due on Dup of 1895	$ 676 48
do do do 1896	2740 57
do do do 1897	17 78
do do do 1898	612 08
do do do 1899	2590 92
do do do 1900	6660 66
Due benefits assess'd on West street	542 71
Due benefits assessed on Jefferson street	33 45
Fire engine and hose	5200 00
Town Hall and lot	15000 00
Hook and ladder truck and	

ASSETS.

Balance on duplicate of 1895	675 48
" " " " 1896	2740 57
" " " " 1897	17 78
" " " " 1898	612 08
" " " " 1899	2590 92
" " " " 1900	6660 66
Due benefits assessed on West street	542 71
Due benefits assessed on Jefferson street	33 45
Balance in Treas hands	3560 69
	$17375 31
Liabilities in excess of assets	5555 85

Attest: FRANK IKELER, Pres of Council.
FREEZE QUICK, Secretary.

Bloomsburg, Pa., April 10, 1901.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the Town of Bloomsburg met at the Council rooms for the purpose of performing our duties. We have examined the books of the Secretary and find them correct, as above stated. The balance in the hands of the Treasurer is $3560.69, in accordance with the foregoing statement.

As there is sufficient money in the Treasury to meet the outstanding orders bearing 6 per cent interest we direct that such orders be presented to the Treasurer for payment and that interest on the same shall cease not later than April 30th, 1901.

PETER H. FREEZE,
WM. KRICKBAUM, } Auditors.
GEO. E. WILBUR,

APPEAL NOTICE.

The County Commissioners will sit, on the following dates, at the following places, to hear and adjust matters relating to the tri-ennial assessment of 1900, when and where all property owners may appear and be heard, if they think proper:

Bloom—At Court House, Bloomsburg, Pa., June 10, 1901.

Mt. Pleasant and Montour—At Court House, Bloomsburg, April 23d, 1901.

Catawissa Twp. and Franklin—At Adams Hotel, April 24th, 1901.

Cleveland, Locust and Roaringcreek—At Yeager's Hotel, Slabtown, April 25th, 1901.

Main and Beaver—At Yetter's Hotel, Mainville, April 26th, 1901.

Mifflin—At Pennypacker Hotel, Mifflinville, April 29th, 1901.

Orange Twp. and Orangeville Borough—At Turner's Hotel, Orangeville, May 1st, 1901.

Fishingcreek and Stillwater—At McHenry store, Stillwater, May 2d, 1901.

Benton Boro and Benton Twp., and Jackson—At McHenry Hotel, Benton, May 3rd, 1901.

Hemlock—At Court House, Bloomsburg, May 9th, 1901.

Scott—At Court House, Bloomsburg, June 12, 1901.

Sugarloaf—At Steen's Hotel, Central, May 2d, 1901.

Madison—At Rimbey's Hotel, Jerseytown, May 23d, 1901.

Millville and Pine—At Iola Hotel, May 23d, 1901.

Greenwood—At Rhorsburg Hotel, May 24th, 1901.

Berwick and Briarcreek—At St. Charles Hotel, Berwick, May 27th,

FEDERATED AUSTRALIA.

Edmund Barton, Famous New South Wales Statesman, to Be Its First Premier.

Edmund Barton has accepted the earl of Hopetoun's offer to form the first cabinet of the Federation of Australia. A writer in the Review of Reviews in 1895, speaking of Edmund Barton, said: "Next, perhaps, to Sir Henry Parkes, Edmund Barton is, among New South Wales politicians, best entitled to be called a statesman. Intellectually he is, speaking comparatively, a giant. I have met many people of importance, but I have never met a man who could say finer things

HON. EDMUND BARTON.
(Prime Minister of the Recently-Formed Australian Federation.)

on the spur of the moment than Edmund Barton. 'I would be ready at any time to play second fiddle to Barton,' said Sir George Dibbs to me; and, he added, 'if I had Barton's intellect with my own energy, I could rule Australia.' At 21 he was an M. A. of the Sydney university, and he is one of the best types of the highly educated native-born Australian. In a legislature which, with all its faults, is singularly sensitive about the dignity of the speaker's office, the most honorable under the constitution, he is recognized as perhaps the best speaker we have ever had in New South Wales. He occupied that position for over five years, and it is something to win distinction in an office which had been held by Sir Daniel Cooper, Sir Terence Aubrey Murray, Sir John Hay, William Munnings Arnold, Sir George Wigram Allen, and the dignity of which is now supported by Sir Joseph Abbott. He was one of the few who grasped at the convention the great difficulties surrounding federation, and one of the three who, in what Sir George Dibbs describes as the 'whisky and paste' excursion up the Hawkesbury river in the Lucinda, drafted the commonwealth bill."

CLEVER YOUNG MAN.

George Wyndham, New Chief Secretary for Ireland, Has a Bright Future Before Him.

George Wyndham, the new chief secretary for Ireland, is one of the foremost of the younger set of British politicians. He was private secretary to Mr. Arthur Balfour when the latter was secretary for Ireland, and in the last cabinet he was an under secretary of

RT. HON. GEORGE WYNDHAM.
(Her Majesty's New Chief Secretary for Ireland.)

war, where he did much important work in connection with forwarding Lord Roberts' big army. His ability was recognized by assigning him to the difficult post at Dublin, where much tact and firmness, a ready tongue and pleasing personality are required. Mr. Wyndham has much Irish wit which he comes by through his descent from the Sheridan family. He is, however, an English aristocrat of the deepest dye. His wife was the widow of the duke of Westminster's eldest son, and she still calls herself, as English usage permits, Countess Grosvenor, although married to Mr. Wyndham.

Sample of Boston Thrift.

Just before his death, which occurred in 1790, Benjamin Franklin left $5,000 to the city of Boston, and an equal sum to Philadelphia, with instructions that the money was to be invested for 100 years, and then devoted to certain public objects. The Boston legacy now amounts to $366,880, and that of Philadelphia to a little over $100,000. The Boston managers have certainly been much more wise and thrifty than those of the Quaker city.

Children Are Fond of Red.

It has been noticed by the matrons of infant asylums that a baby will be cross all day if dressed in a gray frock, but contented and happy if dressed in a bright red garment. Children from two to four years old are much less affected by the color of their dress. It is commonly observed in kindergartens that the younger children prefer the red playthings, while the older children prefer the blue.

An Object Lesson.

Mr. Jones—I'm going to bring young Yabsleigh home to supper to-night.

Mrs. Jones—Why, we haven't a thing to eat in the house, the cook is intoxicated, baby has the colic and mother is coming!

Mr. Jones—Yes, that's why I'm going to bring him home! The young fool is thinking of getting married.—Judge.

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By virtue of a writ of pluries levari facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, Pa., at two o'clock in the afternoon, on

MONDAY, MAY 6th, 1901.

the following described property, to wit:

All those two certain messuages, or tenements, and tracts of land, situate in Columbia County, Pennsylvania.

The first tract, situate in the Borough of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, in line of lands of George Zarr, deceased, and running from thence by lands now of William Berninger (known as the Grist Mill Tract), and running from thence by the same south two and a quarter degrees west, ten perches to the north end of the county bridge over Catawissa Creek; thence through the centre of said bridge south thirty-eight degrees east, fifteen perches to the intersection of a public road leading to Ashland; thence by said road south eight and a quarter degrees west, nine and two-tenths perches to a point in the centre of said road, in line of lands of Mrs. Berger; thence by said line south eighty-one and a half degrees west, twenty-three and a half perches to a post, originally a spruce tree, thence by land of Jonathan Fortner north fifty-eight and a half degrees west, sixty-four perches to originally a maple, on the south side of Catawissa Creek; thence south eighty-two and a half degrees east, crossing said Catawissa creek, and running by a public road, leading down Catawissa Creek to the Town of Catawissa, forty-four perches to a point in said public road; thence by land of Wm. Long and land belonging to the estate of George Zarr, deceased, north seventy-four and a half degrees east, thirty-nine perches to the place of beginning, containing

9 ACRES AND 38 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which are erected

A PAPER MILL, DWELLING HOUSES, BARNS, STABLES

and other outbuildings.

There is a chemical fibre mill, ground wood mill, and paper mill, and the appurtenances, including the waters of said creek, to supply the mill with water power, &c.

The second lot, or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post, in line of lands of Jonathan Fortner, a corner of a lot of ground belonging to Mrs. Berger, and running from thence by the same north eighty-three and a half degrees east, seven and a half perches; thence by the same north seventy-two and a half degrees east, nineteen and a half perches to the south post of a gate; thence by land of Mathias Gingles south fifteen and a quarter degrees west, nineteen and a half perches to a chestnut tree; thence by the same south twenty-five degrees west, eight perches to a post; thence by the same south nineteen degrees west, six and six-tenths perches to a post; thence by the same south forty-three degrees west, nine and a half perches to a corner of a lot or tract of ground known as the Foundry Lot, now owned by Samuel G. Frederick; thence by said lot north forty-nine degrees west, nineteen perches to a post, in line of land of Jonathan Fortner; thence by said line north five and a half degrees east, thirty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

5 ACRES AND 13 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which is formed and constructed a dam or basin for the purpose of gathering fresh or clear water for the aforesaid paper mill.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of I. W. McKelvy and J. H. Harman, executors of William McKelvy, deceased, now to the use of Joseph R. Wainwright; and Joseph R. Wainwright, executor of Israel R. Wainwright and Clement R. Wainwright, deceased, against Edmund McCready and John W. McCready, with notice to the Catawissa Fibre Co., Limited, and to be sold as the property of Edmund McCready and John W. McCready.

DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.
FREEZE AND ELWELL, Attys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1901,

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain lot of land, situate in Neal's Addition to the Town of Bloomsburg, in the County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, aforesaid, being lot numbered (1) one, on the plot or draft of said Addition, and bounded and described as follows: On the north by East Third street, on the east by lot numbered (2) two, on the south by an alley, and on the west by Chestnut alley, being ninety-seven and one-half feet front on East Third street, and fifteen feet on alley in rear, whereon is erected a large two-and-one-half story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE

and a two-story brick barn and other outbuildings.

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SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1901,

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain piece, parcel, and lot of ground, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Fifth street and the Rupert and Bloomsburg Railroad, and running thence westwardly along the line of said Fifth street three hundred and ninety-five feet, more or less, to the east line of Leonard St.; thence southwardly along said line of Leonard street three hundred and thirty feet, more or less, to lands conveyed by James Magee and wife to The Magee Carpet Works; thence eastwardly along said lands of said Magee Carpet Works two hundred and eighty-seven feet, more or less, to point in west wall of what is known as "Tapestry Weaving Shed;" thence along west wall of said weaving shed northwardly one hundred and twenty feet, more or less, to the northwest corner of said weaving shed; thence eastwardly along north wall of said weaving shed seventy-nine feet, to lands of the Rupert and Bloomsburg Railroad; thence northwardly along said land of Rupert and Bloomsburg Railroad two hundred feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, whereon are erected the following buildings, to wit: A three-story brick building, 50 x 100 feet, known as "Ingrain Mill," two-story brick building, 29 x 100 feet, known as "Office and Burling Room," a one-story brick building, 25 x 50 feet, known as "Machine Shop," a three-story brick building, 30 x 50 feet, known as the "Ingrain Engine Room," a four-story and frame building, 40 x 50 feet, known as the "Boiler Room," a one-story brick building, 50 x 80 feet, known as the "Ingrain Dye House," a one story frame building, 40 x 40 feet, known as the "Yarn Room," one two-story frame building, 20 x 20 feet, known as the "Carpenter Shop," a two-story frame building, 33 x 100 feet, known as "Barn and Stable," one-story frame ice house, one stone and brick pump house, together with engines, boilers, shafting, belting and other machinery contained therein, covered by the lien of the mortgage upon which the judgment was obtained, on which the above writ was issued.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of C. M. Creveling and D. J. Waller, Jr., Trustees, vs. James Magee 2d, James Magee 1st, and W. H. Vanderherchen and James Magee 2d, and C. C. Peacock, Trustees, and the Magee Carpet Works, Limited, terre tenants, and to be sold as the property of James Magee 2d, and C. C. Peacock, Trustees, terre tenants, and the Magee Carpet Works, Limited, terre tenants.

DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.
WALLER AND MILLER, Attys.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, the undersigned executor of the estate of Dr. J. R. Evans, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, will expose to public sale, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1901,

at ten o'clock a. m., the following described real estate, to wit: All those two certain lots of land, situate in Bloomsburg, Columbia county, and State of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

FIRST LOT.—Beginning at the corner of Jefferson and Second streets; thence along Second street thirty-six feet to lot of L. E. Wharry; thence along the same southwardly two hundred and fourteen feet six inches to Pine alley; thence westwardly along said alley thirty-six feet to Jefferson street; thence along Jefferson street northwardly two hundred and fourteen feet six inches to the place of beginning, on which are erected

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for several families. There is two hundred and fifty and one-half feet frontage on Main and Jefferson streets.

SECOND LOT.—Beginning at the corner of Third street and Jefferson street; thence along said Third street in a southwesterly direction forty-nine and one-half feet to corner of lot number sixty-eight, now owned by Stephen Knorr; thence along said lot in a northwesterly direction two hundred fourteen and one-half feet to Pine alley; thence along said alley in a northeasterly direction forty-nine and one-half feet to the corner of Pine alley and Jefferson street; thence along said Jefferson street in a southeasterly direction two hundred fourteen and one-half feet to the place of beginning, being lot number sixty-seven, in the general plan of said Town of Bloomsburg, on which are erected a large two-story

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ANDREW L. FRITZ,
Executor of estate of Dr. J. R. Evans

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of William H. Johnson, late of the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia, Pa. deceased, have been granted to Elizabeth Johnson and The Commonwealth Title Insurance & Trust Co., of Philadelphia, Pa. to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay, at the office of THE COMMONWEALTH TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST CO., 313 Chestnut St., Philadelphia., or ELIZABETH JOHNSON.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DANIEL R. TROY.

Letters of administration on the estate of Daniel R. Troy, late of Beaver township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased have been granted to Charles H. Troy and I. S. Troy, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay to

CLYDE C. YETTER, Attorney. CHARES H. TROY, I. S. TROY, Administrators.
March 14th, 1901.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF SUSAN ROMICK, LATE OF CENTRE TWP., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Susan Romick, late of Centre township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Levi A. Remley, a resident of said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to LEVI A. REMLEY,
CLINTON HERRING, Atty. Administrator.
Bloomsburg, Pa., April 4th, 1901. (6t)

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MICHAEL BROWN, SR., LATE OF CONYNGHAM TWP., COLUMBIA CO., PA., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are directed to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

RICHARD BROWN,
PETER BROWN,
Or to Executors.
ALFRED GARNER, Atty., Ashland, Pa. 7 21 6t

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ISAAC H. HARGER, LATE OF BEAVER TWP., COLUMBIA COUNTY, PA.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Isaac H. Harger, late of Beaver Township, deceased, have been granted to Catharine Harger, to whom persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to 4-4-6w*

CATHARINE HARGER,
GUY JACOBY, Atty. Administratrix.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Common Pleas of Columbia County, and will be presented to the said Court on the first Monday of May, A. D. 1901, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter, will be confirmed absolute:

1. Final account of A. W. Dieterick, committee of the person and estate of Elizabeth Dieterich, a woman of unsound mind now deceased.
2. First account of Sarah J. Hosler and G. B. W. Hosler, trustees for Stephen Michael.
3. The first and final account of Daniel Knorr, trustee, to sell the real estate of Mary A. Hess and Caroline Werkheiser.
4. The third and partial account of William Gingles, sequestrator of the life estate of John Wolf.
5. The second and partial account of William Gingles, sequestrator of the life estate of A. C. Freas.

W. H. HENRIE, Proth'y.
Prothy's Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., April 2, 1901

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, 1901,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of Sadie J. Jones and Moore C. Jones in that certain lot of ground, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the east by Evangelical Parsonage lot; on the south by lot of Mrs. George Hassert; on the west by vacant lots; on the north by Fourth Street, the same being known as lot No. 52 of the Neal addition, or Town lot No. 4-8, and being forty and one-half feet front on Fourth Street, and one hundred and seven feet in depth whereon is erected a two-story

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and out buildings.

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ESTATE OF LAYTON RUNYON LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Layton Runyon, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Martha Runyon, resident of said town, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

4 11 6t MARTHA RUNYON,
GRANT HERRING, Atty. Executrix.

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The Flour Trust Formed.

The Eastern Milling & Export company, which was incorporated last week at Trenton, N. J., with a capital of $4,000,000, has secured options on a long list of the flouring mills in this state. Among the number is the Flemington mill. Mr. Kelsey recently stated that it is likely that the papers will be signed in a short time. The company has been formed to control the supply of flour in this section of the country.—Lock Haven *Democrat.*

Comfort for Letter Carriers.

An innovation, looking to the comfort of letter carriers throughout the country during the heat of summer, probably will be introduced this year by official permission to them, to divest their coats on their rounds when felt to be necessary. It is expected that the postmaster general will soon issue an order formally granting authority to postmasters for this purpose and modifying the requirements so as to allow the carriers to wear a suitable gray blouse with turn-down collar and a black tie.

PENNA. SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

There Are Nearly a Million and a Half in Attendance.

The most reliable statisics of Pennsylvania Sunday schools put them one hundred thousand scholars and teachers ahead of the next in numbers, our more populous neighbor, New York. Pennsylvania leads the Union with 10,145 schools, 173,151 officers and teachers, and total membership, 1,403,553. But it is likely that there are nearly 1,000 more schools and 10,000 more scholars in the state. Mr. Hugh Cork, one of the state association's field workers, is now gathering figures with his untiring energy and thoroughness, and the result is eagerly awaited. The value of exact figures can not be overestimated for Christian work. They will show that less than 25 per cent. of population probably are yet enrolled in Bible teaching schools, and will spur every worker to greater effort and show just where the effort may be most successful. Secretaries of county associations are assisting Mr. Cork, and it is hoped every superintendent will promptly respond to the request for figures when he receives it. The Pennsylvania *Herald*, 913 Crozer building, Philadelphia, will give the results and the interesting developments of this state canvass by Mr. Cork.

STATE NEWS.

—Nicholas Capice, of Freeland, who is alleged to have shot and killed Rudolph Damaria on the main street of that borough, was indicted by the grand jury on the charge of manslaughter. The case will come up for trial in May.

—Embracing the triangular territory from Wilkes-Barre to Jersey Shore and Selinsgrove, the Susquehanna synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church will convene in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Williamsport, for seven days, beginning Tuesday, April 30.

—The Pennsylvania railroad company will erect a new station at Williamsport, the plans having been definitely arranged a day or two ago. The new station will be an architectural ornament, and the building with its platforms and approaches, will extend a distance of one square.

—A census bulletin on the area in square miles of the various states, showed that Lycoming is the largest county in Pennsylvania, the area in miles being 1,240. Tioga is second with 1,180 and Clearfield third with 1,141, while Bradford follows closely with 1,140. Philadelphia is the smallest county with 130 square miles, and Montour comes next with 142.

—Pottsville will have a big industrial boom in a few weeks. T. H. Griffiths, general superintendent of the William colliery which shut down two years ago announces that operations would resume on July 1, employing 400 men. The Pottsville Bridge Works, after an idleness of several years will resume May 1, employing 100 men, and later the rolling mill plant, furnishing employment to about 600 men, will resume.

—The summer encampment of the National Guards will be by brigades this year and will be the latter part of July. The Third brigade invariably encamps at Mt. Gretna, and the members of the command are anxious that a change be made. It is believed that the camping grounds will be changed this year and that instead of Mount Gretna, of which everyone is weary, the soldiers will receive their summer instruction in the coal region.

Thursday last the jury in the case of Dr. Goodman, Andrew Belter and August Czenski against the Shamokin and Mt. Carmel Electric Railway Co., rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs as follows. Dr. Goodman, $5,000; A. Belter, $5,000; A. Czenski $3,500. These cases grew out of an accident by which the wives of the two former were killed while driving along the road which it is charged was made dangerous by the negligence of the company. Czenski was injured in the accident.

A Famous Old Canal.

The days of the Pennsylvania canal are now numbered and soon the famous old waterway will be abandoned forever. Manufacturers and others have been notified to look elsewhere for their supply. The canal, which was built by the State, came into possession of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company by purchase in 1859. The Pennsylvania Canal, and its branches, consist of 144 miles of navigable canal, with a width at water line of fifty two feet, extending from Columbia, Lancaster county, to Northumberland, thence to Luzerne county, and from Northumberland to Loyal Sock, near Williamsport. General Isaac J. Wistar is president of the company, and Thomas T. Wireman, of Harrisburg, is its chief engineer. It is a model of canal navigation in its construction, and all of its appliances and in the maintenance of its sixty locks (overcoming 277 feet in elevation), 99 houses for employes; 73 wasteways and overflows, covering 7,322 feet of surface; 309 bridges, 71 culverts, five dams, across large streams; 33 aqueducts, comprising 2,832 feet of superstructure; 193 canal boats, 8 lumber boats, all involving a watchful care and zealous supervision. Although the traffic on the canal has not yielded any profits to its owners for some years, it is, nevertheless, a worthy monument of the once famous line of Pennsylvania's system of internal improvements which formed a memorable part in the history of the Commonwealth.

Pat. Meany has signed to pitch the coming season with the Philadelphia American League base ball team. Several years ago he was a member of the River League and twirled many games against Bloomsburg. He was a left hander at that time and was forced to retire on account of a sore arm. Now he is throwing with his right arm and is said to be in excellent form.

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WAR ON STEEL TRUST

President Shaffer Says the Fight Has Begun.

MAY ORDER OUT SIXTY THOUSAND MEN

Conference Today Will Be Urged to Close Every Plant of the American Sheet Steel Company.

PITTSBURG, April 17.—President T. J. Shaffer of the Amalgamated association has issued a call for a special meeting of the national advisory board, together with the vice presidents of every district in which tin sheet combination has a plant. It will be held at national headquarters in this city.

President Shaffer, in speaking of the meeting today, said, with considerable emphasis:

"I shall advise and urge all the members of the board to vote for an immediate closing of all the plants of the American Sheet Steel company in the country. This will be the beginning of the fight, and I will say nothing further on the subject."

It is estimated that 60,000 men will go out if the order to strike in all the trust works is given.

When asked if the association could win by simply shutting down the sheet mills and whether an order would be sent out to close all the union tin plate and steel plants of the United States Steel corporation, Mr. Shaffer replied:

"I will say nothing more than 'this is the beginning,' and you can take whatever meaning you desire from what I have said."

The officials of the American Sheet Steel company stated yesterday that about 11 fires were at work and that applications for employment were coming in rapidly. It was stated that 73 applications were received Monday, but the applicants were informed that no definite answer would be given them for several days.

An official very close to the management of the sheet steel company said yesterday that it is the intention of the company to close down the McKeesport plant for an indefinite period. The prest is not an opportune time for a labor contention, owing to the transitory state of the company's future policy, caused by its absorption by the United States Steel corporation.

It was further stated that the nonunion plants of the company were producing 45 per cent of the tonnage of the commission and that no serious inconvenience would result to the trade by the suspension of the union sheet mills.

The strikers secured accessions to their ranks yesterday by the 125 men in the Knobling department joining them. This leaves only the steel mill and the hammer departments at work, and they will continue in operation until the work now in progress is finished, when the shut down will be complete.

Boston's Poor Remembered.

BOSTON, April 16.—The poor of Boston are liberally remembered by the will of George L. Thorndike, who was a real estate dealer and lived in East Boston, which has just been offered for probate. The city of Boston is given $10,000 in trust, the income of which is to be used to purchase coal for distribution among the widowed women of East Boston. There are many personal bequests, and the testator suggests that "on the death of the last legatee of the will the trustees of the will shall co-operate with the trustees of the Boston City hospital," so that when the estate exceeds the value of $200,000 the entire value shall be devoted to the establishment of a free hospital by the city.

Steyn Re-elected President.

CAPE TOWN, April 17.—A rather extraordinary gathering for the purpose of electing a president of the Orange Free State has been held in the Boshof district. Forty burghers, claiming to represent a commando, attended. It was really a haphazard collection of Boers, including a number of youngsters from maraunding bands. Mr. Steyn was declared re-elected president, and a feast followed. A dispatch from Petrusberg says that Boers who refuse to take the oath of allegiance to Great Britain are being sent across an imaginary border line.

Shamrock II's Launching.

NEW YORK, April 16.—David Barrie, American representative of Sir Thomas Lipton, has received a cable message from Sir Thomas that the Shamrock II, the challenger for the America's cup, would be launched on Saturday next and that the Marchioness of Dufferin would christen the vessel. The husband of the marchioness is commodore of the Royal Ulster Yacht club, through which Sir Thomas Lipton's present challenge and that of two years ago were sent to the New York Yacht club.

The Gainsborough J. P. Morgan's?

LONDON, April 17.—The society paper Onlooker says that J. Pierpont Morgan has practically effected the purchase for £25,000 of the famous Gainsborough portrait of the Duchess of Devonshire, which was recently recovered in the United States. The negotiations will be closed when Thomas Agnew, the head of the Bond street firm, returns from Turkey. This newspaper also says that Mr. Morgan has recently paid an enormous sum for a noted painting by Turner.

The Latest Combine.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—A combination of umbrella rib manufacturers has been completed, and the new company, to be known as the National Umbrella Frame company, will have headquarters in this city. There are only six firms engaged in the manufacture of umbrella ribs in this country, and their aggregate production amounts to about $1,000,000.

Sealing Crew Rescued.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., April 17.—The sealing steamer Greenland has arrived here, having rescued 194 members of the crew of the sealing steamer Hope, which was wrecked on Bryon island, in the gulf of St. Lawrence. All are well. The Hope was broken up by the furious gales, but her cargo of 5,000 seals was saved.

Prosperous Horse Show Association

CHICAGO, April 16.—The Chicago Horse Show association has broken a record for such enterprises and will declare a dividend of 25 per cent tomorrow on a capital stock of $25,000. This is the first official indication of the financial success of the exhibition in the Coliseum during the winter.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi. Fa., and Alias Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, MAY 11th, 1901,

at ten o'clock a. m., the following described property, to wit:

All those two certain messuages, or tenements, and tracts of land, situate in Columbia County, Pennsylvania.

The first tract, situate in the Borough of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, in line of lands of George Zarr, deceased, and running from thence by lands now of William Bernginger (known as the Grist Mill Tract), and running from thence by the same south two and a quarter degrees west, ten perches to the north end of the county bridge over Catawissa Creek; thence through the centre of said bridge south thirty-eight degrees east, fifteen perches to the intersection of a public road leading to Ashland; thence by said road south eight and a quarter degrees west, nine and two-tenths perches to a point in the centre of said road, in line of lands of Mrs. Berger; thence by said line south eighty-one and a half degrees west, twenty-three and a half perches to a post, originally a spruce tree; thence by land of Jonathan Fortner north fifty-eight and a half degrees west, sixty-four perches to originally a maple, on the south side of Catawissa Creek; thence south eighty-two and a half degrees east, crossing said Catawissa creek, and running by a public road, leading down Catawissa Creek to the Town of Catawissa, forty-four perches to a point in said public road; thence by land of Wm. Long and land belonging to the estate of George Zarr, deceased, north seventy-four and a half degrees east, thirty-nine perches to the place of beginning, containing

9 ACRES AND 38 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which are erected

A PAPER MILL, DWELLING HOUSES, BARNS, STABLES

and other outbuildings.

There is a chemical fibre mill, ground wood mill, and paper mill, and the appurtenances, including the waters of said creek, to supply the mill with water power, &c.

The second lot, or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post, in line of lands of Jonathan Fortner, a corner of a lot of ground belonging to Mrs. Berger, and running from thence by the same north eighty-three and a half degrees east, seven and a half perches; thence by the same north seventy-two and a half degrees east, nineteen and a half perches to the south post of a gate; thence by land of Mathias Gingles south fifteen and a quarter degrees west, nineteen and a half perches to a chestnut tree; thence by the same south twenty-five degrees west, eight perches to a post; thence by the same south nineteen degrees west, six and six-tenths perches to a post; thence by the same south forty-three degrees west, nine and a half perches to a corner of a lot or tract of land known as the Foundry Lot, now owned by Samuel J. Frederick; thence by said lot north forty-nine degrees west, nineteen perches to a post, in line of land of Jonathan Fortner; thence by said line north five and a half degrees east, thirty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

5 ACRES AND 13 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which is formed and constructed a dam or basin for the purpose of gathering fresh or clear water for the aforesaid paper mill.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suits of Matilda Hughes, surviving executor and trustee of the estate of Douglass Hughes, deceased, vs. The Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant; Wilhelmina McCready vs Catawissa Fibre Co., Ltd.; The Appleton Woolen Mills vs. The Catawissa Fibre Co., Limited, and Travers Brothers & Company vs. The Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, and to be sold as the property of the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant, and the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited.

W. H. RHAWN, C. A. SMALL, Attys. DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

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